

Fish Plan Meet Here Saturday; Everyone Invited

Giardella Urges Sportsmen Take More Active Interest

John Giardella, president of the Truckee Outdoor Sportsmen, announces that an important meeting of officials of the Division of Fish and Game will be held at Capitol Hall Saturday morning at 10 o'clock and urges that all members and others interested attend.

The meeting is being called by Allan F. Pollitt, assistant supervisor of fish hatcheries, formerly of Tahoe and now residing at Placerville. The meeting will be devoted to the subject of fish planting for the 1951 season for Nevada County east of Donner Summit, Pollitt said.

It is possible that other matters pertaining to approaching trout fishing season will be discussed.

Giardella requests that sportsmen take a more active interest in the fishing and hunting program in this area, pointing out that without the support of the sportsmen in the area, the sports may vanish. He asked that everyone interested attend the session Saturday to voice his opinion regarding important issues to be discussed.

NEXT THURSDAY ENDS REGISTRY FOR T.P.U.D. VOTE

C. Edmunds, manager of the Truckee Public Utility District, announced today that electors who wish to vote in the general district election for directors on May 1 must be registered by Thursday, March 8.

Those who voted in the 1950 June primary or in the November general election and who have not changed their place of residence are registered. However, Edmunds said, those who failed to vote in either one of these elections must register.

Electors are citizens, 21 years old with one year residence in the state and 90 days in the county. Registration may be made at either the offices of the Sierra Sun or the chamber of commerce.

Discharged Donner Park Man to Have Hearing

SACRAMENTO (CNS)—The state personnel board has set March 20 as the hearing date for a case involving Karl A. Powers, state park ranger at Donner Memorial.

Powers was fired during his probationary service and has appealed from his rejection. The division of beaches and parks contends he is unable to perform the duties assigned to him.

Bion R. Gregory, hearing officer for the board, will conduct the investigation and hearing at the Donner Memorial State Park, it was announced.

Preston Twins Birthday Party Held February 28

Twin birthday cakes centered the table at a party marking the fourth birthday of Robert and Richard, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. William Preston, at their home yesterday, February 28. Refreshments were served following the opening of gifts to Mrs. Reg Smart and children Reggie, Karen and Brian; Mrs. Douglas Barrett and daughters, Kathryn, Sheila, Phyllis and Patricia; and John Henry Preston.

Vicki Firpo Honored Monday on Birthday

Table settings and appointments in daffodil colors featured the party observing the sixth birthday of Vicki Firpo at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Firpo, on Monday, February 26. Games were played and after the opening of gifts refreshments were served to the following: Karen Smart, Donna and Carol Gracik, Shirley Guymer, Shirley Patton, Linda Giovannoni, Terry Ellis, Donna McReynolds, Dorette Rose, Raylene Hawkins, Helen Kohl, Winnie Anderson, Brian Phipps, John and Stephanie Firpo.

Eastern Star Chapter Ending Winter Recess

Truckee Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, will hold its first meeting Tuesday, March 6, after the winter recess. All officers are requested to be there at 7 p.m. for instruction by the deputy grand matron before the regular meeting.

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February First Month To Show Moisture Drop

February was the first month since last September that precipitation fell below the normal for a 30-day period, the U. S. Forest Service reported today.

The 3.59 inches recorded during last month was 1.70 inches below the February normal of 5.29.

However the seasonal normal of 19.43 for March 1 has been exceeded by 16.24 inches with the total recorded for the season hitting 35.67 inches.

There were eight inches of snow on the ground in Truckee this morning, 61 inches on Donner Summit. The high temperature for the week was 38 degrees and the low —5 the forest service reports.

Snow was reported falling today in San Francisco and Reno recorded a heavy fall yesterday and last night.

WHENCE, WHITHER? IS SPEAKER'S TOPIC BEFORE ROTARIANS

The Truckee Rotary Club Monday night was given a very enlightening, educational address by E. V. O'Rourke, superintendent of the Tahoe-Truckee school system. He was invited to speak to the club by Jerry Lewis and his talk was titled "Where Have We Come From? Where Are We Going?"

He traced the development of our government from the days of Plymouth Rock to the ratifying of the 22nd amendment to the Constitution. This amendment, while limiting future presidents to two elective terms, allows a person who has served two years or less of an unexpired term, to be elected twice on his own. According to O'Rourke, the ratifying of the amendment Monday afternoon by the Nevada legislature made it a supreme law of the land.

Guests at the meeting were Larry Baxter, formerly of Truckee and now of San Luis Obispo; E. I. Allen, Dr. Hollis Snell and Hal Wright of the Loyalton Rotary Club. Birthday cakes were presented to Clarence Osburn and Jack Wolert.

John Richards has procured from the Sacramento Baseball Club a film of the World Series last October between New York and Philadelphia. These movies will be shown at the Rotary meeting March 5.

HEAR DR. CHURCH TALK ON EUROPE AT LIONS SESSION

Dr. J. E. Church, internationally known snow expert from the University of Nevada at Reno, spoke before members and guests of the Lions Club last night on his recent trip through Europe.

Following the meeting, representatives from the 20-30, Rotary and Chamber of Commerce met with Lions' delegations to discuss the proposed formation of a service club council designed to promote community programs on a unit basis.

Other guests at the meeting included M. T. Brock of Fresno, A. Couillard and James Sherritt of Soda Springs and Rev. A. A. Carmichael of Truckee, Ray Helgeson of Hobart Mills was inducted as a new member.

New Highway Foreman Here from Shaffer Lake

M. K. Fuday has arrived here to take over his duties as foreman for the division of highways in the Truckee district. He replaces Homer Hixson who left some time ago and the position has since been filled temporarily by Robert Luck.

Mr. and Mrs. Fuday are occupying the Dolley apartment on Church Street. Their former home was at Shaffer Lake above Fresno where Fuday has had considerable experience in snowy highways.

Mrs. White Feted—
Mrs. C. B. White was feted on the occasion of her birthday, Wednesday, February 28.

In Capital—
Mr. and Mrs. George Carter were Sacramento visitors on Wednesday.

Last Rites For Mrs. Williamson Are Held Here

Born Here 72 Years Ago, Daughter of Pioneer Railroader

Mass for Mrs. Emma Belle Williamson, Truckee native and widely known local resident, who died at her home here Friday, was conducted at the Truckee Catholic Church Monday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment was in the Truckee cemetery with the Truckee Colonial Mortuary in charge of arrangements. Rosary was held at the chapel Sunday evening.

Mrs. Williamson was born in Truckee March 22, 1879 and would have been 72 this month. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Garcia, the former then employed as an engineer for the Central Pacific Railroad.

She left here many years ago and after living for a while in San Francisco, went to Honolulu where she resided for 20 years before returning to the states nine years ago to make her home with a son, the late Howard Davies, at Lone Pine, Inyo County. Upon the death of her son three years ago, Mrs. Williamson returned to Truckee and had resided here since.

Although not in robust health, Mrs. Williamson was up and around until shortly before she suffered a heart attack in her home about noon Friday.

She leaves a sister, Mrs. Ramona I. Charles of Redding, and several nieces and nephews.

Pall bearers at the services were W. M. Englehart Jr., F. W. Gaennette, James Welch and Foster W. Wilson.

Mrs. Williamson had scores of friends throughout the community who deeply regret her passing.

DOOR TO DOOR SOLICITORS FACE VIGILANT POLICE

That local officers will not tolerate the annual influx of unauthorized solicitors and fly-by-night salesmen was indicated this week with the arrest of two young men who were soliciting subscriptions with a story they were contestants in a race between Truckee and Reno high schools.

Constable N. F. Dolley and Deputy Sheriff Wesley Fair, who arrested the two and held them in jail overnight, checked with school authorities and found their story was untrue. The two were released with a warning upon advice from District Attorney Vernon Stoll.

Dolley and Fair said they would concentrate upon keeping this type of business out of Truckee and urged that anyone contacted check to determine if the salesman has clearance from the chamber of commerce.

Magazine subscription solicitors have been operating throughout the state and in Nevada, using various stories to arouse interest and to sell their product. Residents here are warned not to be taken in by false stories.

John Colliers Welcome Arrival of Daughter

A bouncing baby girl, weighing more than nine pounds when born at a Reno hospital, arrived for Mr. and Mrs. John Collier on Tuesday, February 27. The child's given names were not learned.

County Fair to Have New Exhibit Building

SACRAMENTO (CNS)—Construction of an exhibit building for the 17th District Agricultural Association (Nevada County fair) at Grass Valley will get underway soon as the result of announcement of low bids for the project by the state department of architecture here.

The low bidder was the W. E. Frye Construction Company of Grass Valley, which asks \$106,000 for the job.

Sun Beams by Walter M. Barrett

The arrest of two young men, representing themselves as contestants in a high school magazine solicitation race, was the forerunner of what can be expected in increasing numbers during the coming spring months. Each year scores of local residents are pestered by hit-and-run peddlers, some of them misrepresenting themselves by stories to arouse sympathy, others offering "bargains" hard to resist. make it a fixed rule to avoid these people unless they have authority from your chamber of commerce. Some solicitors are honest and above board in their dealings, and will not hesitate to contact the chamber for authority to work locally; others will not secure this clearance because they know they cannot stand official investigation. The only true and tried way to make purchases however is from your local merchants. There you know you are not being bilked.

Unless some drastic action is taken to stop overloading and other abuses of local highways by trucks it seems we are in for some rough, uncertain roads. Crews are constantly attempting to maintain the thoroughfares but trucks, overloaded and speeding, are pounding them to pieces faster than the crews can make repairs. We saw one truck weigh the other day and it had an excess of three tons over the permitted lawful load. The driver was without excuse, accepted his citation and promised not to do it again. That ended the matter as far as that particular driver and officer were concerned, but it came a long way from repairing the damage done and failed to eliminate future abuses. Truckers pay taxes and buy licenses and are entitled to use the highways but they are not entitled to tear them to pieces with illegal practices at the expense of the other motorists, who also pay rather dearly.

EAGLES AUX TO INSTALL HERE AT SUNDAY RITUAL

The Ladies Eagles Auxiliary of Truckee Aerie 1124 will institute and initiate on Sunday afternoon, March 4, at 2:00 o'clock. The instituting deputy and ritualistic team will be here from Sparks to put on the work.

A meeting of the charter applicants will be held tonight at 7:00 o'clock. There will be music and refreshments following the Eagles meeting.

Problems of Ski Jump Related to 20-30ians

Ed Crandall explained to members of the Truckee 20-30 Club the work that has to be done in order to build the ski jump just south of town. President Earl Smith was program chairman at last night's meeting with 17 members and three guests present.

The club extended special thanks to Bill Englehart Jr. and Hugh Weinand for their help in putting the 20-30 trash cans back on the main street. Also reinstalled this week were the service club signs which were blown down during an early winter gale.

Steve Kolos Resigns As Utility Foreman

Steve Kolos, who has been foreman for the Truckee Public Utility District for the past two years, has resigned his position and will leave this week for the valley to make his future home. W. T. Anderson, a former employee of the district, has been appointed to the position and took over his duties today.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Dale Eaton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eaton, was the honoree at a birthday party on his ninth birthday, February 27. Observe Anniversary—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Giovannoni observed their wedding anniversary on Tuesday, February 20.

Survey Ordered At Floriston In Plan For Bridge

Power Company Official Rejects Responsibility On Foot Bridge

Nothing definite regarding relief for the residents of Floriston, more or less isolated since high water in the Truckee River washed away their vehicle bridge last December, was decided at the special meeting of the board of supervisors yesterday.

A minute order was issued instructing J. F. O'Connor, county road commissioner, to survey all the land that would be affected by a right of way between Highway 40 and the Floriston townsite and to submit the survey for a search of title and report.

At this time, Chairman H. G. Loehr said, no commitments can be made and the situation is still a problem. Neither the county nor state, it was pointed out, has any responsibility other than a desire to lend all possible assistance to the home owners.

State Senator Harold Johnson; C. L. Sweet, representing the state bridge department; Ted Jain, county and cities project engineer for the division of highways, and K. M. Norris, representing the state division of water resources, were attending to explain their stands.

F. W. Gaennette, superintendent for the Sierra Pacific Company, attended the session and told the six residents from Floriston that his company could not be responsible for further use of the foot bridge, the only span crossing the river at that point which was also weakened by the flood and made dangerous. The Southern Pacific did not have a representative at the meeting.

Loehr returned to Nevada City today to preside at the regular monthly meeting of the board.

CUB SCOUTS ARE GIVEN CHARTER HERE ON MONDAY

The Cub Scouts of Pack 7 were presented with their charter on Monday night by Robert Gifford, district vice chairman. Gladys Pedley and Hazel Roberts received their registration cards. Muriel Deckwa, having opened a Den recently, will soon receive one.

A pot luck supper was served by mothers of the Cubs. Del Raby, field Scout executive, and his wife were guests. A puppet show was put on by Den One.

An achievement council night will be announced soon by Cubmaster Hugh Weinand where the Cubs will receive badges and arrow points. The 20-30 Club will donate a fund for uniforms for the Cubs.

Waters Visits Friends On Short Navy Hitch

Leo Cardinal, who has returned to the CB's as one of the former local men William Waters saw during his short return to the navy in San Diego. Mr. and Mrs. Waters and sons are moving into their Gateway Park home this week after an absence of several weeks.

Third Son Arrives For Local Family

David Warren, third son of Mr. and Mrs. John Goldsmith, arrived at a Reno hospital on Tuesday, February 27. The lad weighed nearly seven pounds at birth, according to his father.

Mrs. Goldsmith and the couple's oldest son, John, will celebrate their birthdays tomorrow, March 2. John will be three years old.

Crystal Bayer Jailed On License Charge

David A. Storz, 25, Crystal Bay, Nevada, photographer, was sentenced by Superior Judge James Snell to serve 15 days in jail and probation of 7½ months on a charge of driving in California after his license had been revoked.

Legion Hoopers Win Two Games In Three Starts

Truckee's American Legion basketball team won two out of three games on its home court over the weekend. Fast-paced action by all players brought the games up to close scores.

Truckee topped Della Pippas of Martinez in the first game Saturday night 39-38 by virtue of a mid-court field goal by Willie Curran in the final five seconds of the game. In the second game, the Martinez reserve strength paid off with a hard-won 65 to 59 for the visitors. Sunday afternoon Truckee took on Capucci-Weaver of Fallon and managed a 65-62 victory.

Next Thursday the locals will travel to Fallon for a 12-team three-day basketball tournament. According to the Fallon Standard, Truckee will be pitted against the Hawthorne 20-30 in the first tilt.

High School Loses

The two basketball teams from the Tahoe-Truckee high school traveled to Susanville Friday night where they dropped both games to the hometowners.

The A squad lost by a 56 to 31 count and B team was smothered under a 60 to 20 score. Principal and Coach Cliff King accompanied the teams.

CARS COLLIDE ON MAIN STREET, ONE MAN IS HURT

Louis Lytton, 40, San Francisco, was injured Sunday night at 10:45 o'clock when cars driven by James Rose, 32, Santa Rosa, and Vincent Chiesa, 32, San Francisco, collided in front of the Masonic Building in Truckee.

State Patrolman William Gausche cited Chiesa for making an improper turn and failure to yield right of way when he turned across the main street in front of the Rose car. Both new vehicles were badly damaged.

WYETHIA PLANS BIRTHDAY PARTY ON FRIDAY NIGHT

Reservations were closed yesterday for the annual birthday dinner of the Wyethia Club to be held in the Capitol Hall Friday evening, March 2, beginning at seven o'clock. Members and their guests will enjoy the program of the club's history in revue, planned by past presidents of the organization.

Mrs. Robert Gifford, retiring from the presidency at this time, will be chairman of the evening. A reasonable amount will be charged for the dinner.

The yearly affair is being anticipated by the women in this area and a large attendance is expected tomorrow evening.

'Bob' Cooper Returns From Hospital Stay

W. T. Cooper, who has been a patient at the hospital in Nevada City since December 29, returned home this week greatly improved in health.

He reports that before he left the hospital he called upon George Andrich and James Hislop and reports both these Truckee patients doing very well. Andrich, he said, has lost considerable weight but is responding to treatment.

Rebekahs Plan on Visit From District Leader

Naomi Rebekah Lodge No. 2 met in Odd Fellows hall Wednesday night and plans were made to entertain District Deputy President Gertrude McClard on her official visit March 14.

The February 14 meeting proved to be very amusing with the entertainment after the meeting under the direction of Alice Mayner and presented by the members in a "Dumb Wedding"; Alice Mayner as the minister, Alice McGee as the groom, Dorothy Kay as the bride, Ruth Rockholm as the bride's father, Dorothy Guymer as the bride's mother, and Theresa Lyons as the flower girl.

Refreshments were served at a late hour by Ruth Campbell and Lucille Bick.

4 Lanes For 40 Unlikely Unless Bonds Are Issued

Economics Render Project Unlikely Says U. S. Roads Official

The four-laning of U. S. Highway Forty over Donner Summit seems unlikely in the immediate future, despite its urgent need as a defense measure and to handle the ever-increasing traffic.

This is the conclusion drawn from a communication from Thomas H. MacDonald, federal

Efforts to float a \$1,000,000 bond issue for further expansion of the California highway system will be made when the state legislature meets this month. This would supplement the gasoline tax financing of highway construction.

Under bills to be introduced, the highway commission would be given powers to issue whatever bonds are necessary for the widening of U. S. Highways 40 and 50 as well as other projects in the state.

commissioner of public roads, to Representative Clair Engle.

"Our highway legislation and our highway practice during the past few decades have been developed methodically on the basic concept that highway defense needs must be recognized and incorporated in the planning and execution of the work during the periods between wars," the official said.

Engle had contacted MacDonald on the issue after several organizations in his district had investigated the possibility of improving the route between Sacramento and Reno as a vital facility in national defense.

MacDonald said U.S. Route 40 has been included in the 40,000 mile national system of interstate highways, which is the system considered by the department of defense as of greatest strategic importance and considered by the highway authorities as of greatest economic importance.

He mentioned the four-lane construction on Forty, which is part of the current program of federal aid work but reported that funds and resources are not available for the immediate four-lane construction of more of the heavily traveled sections of the route and at the same time take care of all other sections of highways in the state having comparable justification for improvement.

"It was proved impossible at the beginning of World War II even to consider acceleration of the highway program to accomplish much needed and lagging work on the highway systems in the face of new defense demands upon all of the nation's resources. There seems to be no prospect today of an acceleration of the over all program; yet this is the only fair way to bring about the more rapid four-laning of U.S. Route 40. Any other method would single out this route for preferential treatment."

In replying to the Congressman's inquiry regarding the possible construction of alternate routes between U.S. Routes 40 and 50, the department of commerce official said:

"The improvement of all such routes leading inward from all coastal cities of the United States and outward from all cities whose industrial activity makes them attractive bombing targets, would be far beyond the nation's economic capacity for years to come."

"Work which has been regarded as being beyond our economic capacity in the postwar recovery period has little chance of being prosecuted now that we are in a period when new controls on uses of critical materials and manpower are being established."

Requests for similar information had been received by MacDonald from Representative Walter Earing and Senators Pat McCarran and George Malone of Nevada and Senator Richard Nixon of California.

Nevertheless, an appeal will be made directly to Defense Secretary Marshall for funds to widen Highway 40 over Donner Summit, it was reported yesterday by Hans Benhard, executive vice president of Overland Routes Inc.

Benhard said the highway project will be pushed despite the opinion by MacDonald that money is not available.

Senator McCarran in Washington said he plans to bring the matter before Marshall and the bureau of public roads. The senator states that U.S. 40 is an important national defense link and would be even more vital if "railroads are blocked."

Mrs. Lillian Bandur, formerly of Truckee, writes she is now living at Monterey.

Truckee Group of Christian Scientists
announce
Sunday Services
each Sunday at
11 a.m.
at the
Wyethia Women's Club House
in Truckee
The public is cordially
invited to attend

Week's Water, Weather For Tahoe City

TAHOE CITY—The level of Lake Tahoe Monday morning was 6227.90 with 27 CSF of water leaving the dam. Snow on the level in town measured 26 inches. New snow the preceding week amounted to 16 inches with .67 of an inch precipitation.
High and low daily temperatures were: Feb. 18th: 33, 19: 19th: 36, 13; 20th: 33, 19; 21st: 30, 19; 22nd: 28, 18; 23rd: 30, 5; 24th: 37, 5; 25th: 31, 20; 26th: low 10.

From Saratoga—
Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Purcell and son Teddy of Saratoga enjoyed four days at Tahoe Inn. While at Tahoe they visited her father Charles Swanson and old friends Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Sunkel of Tahoe Valley.

RED CROSS DRIVE AIM AT LAKE IS SET AT \$1,050

TAHOE CITY—Mrs. Louise Geier of Tahoe Park, chairman of the Tahoe branch, American Red Cross, this week has appointed her crew of helpers who will aid in addressing envelopes for the annual drive which starts March 1. These are Mrs. Ray Frazier of Lake Forest, Mrs. E. O'Rourke of the Big Chief district, Mrs. Grace Schramm, Mrs. Howard Guth of Sunnyside and Mrs. John Cunningham of Homewood.
The quota for the Tahoe district has been set at \$1,050 and for the past several years Mrs. Geier has collected more than the amount set for the district. Mrs. Geier mails out each year a large number of letters to the city addresses of Lake Tahoe's summer residents who cheerfully send a portion of their contributions here. She is confident that Tahoe's branch of the American Red Cross will again be oversubscribed this year.

Neighbors Enjoy Party At Pineland Home

TAHOE CITY—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sams were hosts on Valentine's night to a group of neighbors and friends at their home in Pineland Tract. A jolly social evening was enjoyed by all with charades and refreshments preceding the serving of Valentine cakes and coffee. Sharing the evening were Messrs. and Mesdames E. V. O'Rourke, Robert Briggs, John Quinn, Lynn Kishbaugh, and Mrs. Grace Schramm and Gene Bagwill.

NEVADA SOLONS PASS RULES ON TAHOE BOATING

A bill to regulate operation of power launches and motor boats on Lake Tahoe passed the Nevada state senate unanimously last Friday, according to reports from Carson City.
The measure provides that no person shall operate such craft in excess of five nautical miles per hour within 100 feet of any persons who was swimming or within 200 feet of any beach used by bathers, swimming float, diving platform or landing float to which boats are made fast or which is used for passenger embarkation or debarkation.
Other regulations empower counties or cities to prescribe further restrictions and to regulate races and regattas in the interests of safety.
The act also declares it applies to all waters which are navigable in fact regardless of whether or not the are declared navigable by law.
A similar act is under consideration by the California legislature in which Imogene Wittsche of Roseville and others were injured by speedboats while swimming in Lake Tahoe.

Sanford Leaves by Air For Eastern Junket

TAHOE CITY—Albert Sanford of Pebble Beach near Sunnyside left on Saturday last by TWA from San Francisco to visit members of his family in Nova Scotia. He will be the guest of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hiltz, while in the north. From there he will go to Chicago and at Detroit will accept delivery of a new car. He plans to be gone for over three weeks.

Women's Club Meeting At Frazier Home

TAHOE CITY—Thirteen ladies were present at last Friday afternoon's meeting of the Women's Club of Tahoe at the home of Mrs. Vera Frazier of Lake Forest, with two visitors, Mrs. Mildred Painter and Dot Painter.
The North Tahoe Women's Club of Kings Beach has extended an invitation to members of the Women's Club of Tahoe to attend their annual hat show on March 1 at 7 p.m. at Cal-Vada Lodge.
The next meeting of the local club will be held in Tahoe Community Hall in Tahoe City on March 29. Mrs. Beulah Carnell and Mrs. Ann Martin will serve as refreshment hostesses.

TAHOE SKI CLUB RACERS PLACE IN THREE MEETS

TAHOE CITY—Skiers from the Lake Tahoe Ski Club came off with high honors at weekend ski meets, according to reports received here.
In the Junior FWSA giant slalom at South Tahoe, sponsored by Nebelhorn, Collette Morhain (Class 1), Len Fuson (Class 2), Rex Donaldson (Class 4) all took third places and Sharon Becholt (Class 5) captured second place. The course was tough but in good shape and falling snow served as an added handicap. Contestants expressed appreciation to the host club for the fine hospitality shown.
At Yosemite, in the Class B divisional championships, Bob Stark was 3rd in downhill, 4th in slalom and 2nd in combined. Pressing him was Jim Baker with a 2nd in downhill, 5th in slalom and 3rd in combined. First runner was Fred Crofee of the University of California with first places throughout. The meet covered the division embracing California, Nevada and Hawaii.
In the junior national jumping meet at Steamboat, Colo., Lewis Fellows of LTSC placed second.

Business Is Helped By Improved Snow

TAHOE CITY—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Guth of Tahoe Lodge, Sunnyside, report improved snow conditions have kept their resort well filled over the weekend. Present guests include Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Graziani and children Barbara and Gary of San Francisco; newlyweds Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruce of Los Angeles, and a group from Stanford University which remained from Thursday til Sunday. They are Marilyn Wornechi, Kathy Adams, Jane Troxell, Denny Toffanelli, Arove Michelsen, Frances Blumze and Gene Lande.

Changes Cast—
Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Henry left Tahoe for San Francisco on Sunday. Joe will return to University of California hospital to have his cast changed. He is much improved.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA. No. 5171

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the Matter of the Estate of ALEX ROBERTSON, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned as Administrator-with-the-will-annexed of the estate of ALEX ROBERTSON, Deceased, to the Creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice to said administrator-with-the-will-annexed at the law offices of Frank G. Finnegan, Attorney at Law, 232 Broad Street, Nevada City, California, the same being the place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said ALEX ROBERTSON, Deceased. Dated this 19th day of February, 1951.

NOBE McCORMACK, also known as WALTER N. McCORMACK, Administrator-with-the-will-annexed of the Estate of ALEX ROBERTSON, Deceased. FRANK G. FINNEGAN Attorney for Administrator-with-the-will-annexed. First publication: February 22, 1951. f22,m1,8,15

FRATERNAL NOTICES

NAOMI REBEKAH LODGE No. 2
Meets 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 8:00 p.m. in IOOF Hall in Truckee.
ALICE McGEE, Noble Grand
LUCILE BICK, Secretary

ROTARY CLUB OF TAHOE CITY
Meets Tuesdays at 7 p.m. in Tahoe Inn, Tahoe City.
Don Snyder President
Ken Steddom Secretary

TRUCKEE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Meets Thursday at 8 p.m. at the chamber offices. Officers and members are urged to attend.
REG SMART, President
Winifred Kamp, Secretary

TRUCKEE LODGE NO. 200 F. & A. M.
Meets the third Thursday each month, Masonic Hall.
E. J. STOKES, WM
V. L. Deaton, Sec'y

TRUCKEE POST NO. 439 AMERICAN LEGION
Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday each month. Veterans' Mem. hall.
H. L. Owens, Cmdr.
W. F. Curran, Adj.

TRUCKEE 20-30 CLUB NO. 344
Meets Wednesdays at 7:30 P.M. at the Cozzi's Cafe
Earl Smith President
John Street Secretary

Donner Lodge No. 162, I.O.O.F.
Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month, IOOF hall, Truckee.
John Tuohy, Noble Grand
Frank A. Titus, Secretary

TRUCKEE LION CLUB
Wednesday evening at 7 p.m. Capitol Hall Truckee
R. C. GIFFORD, President
Earl Stice, Secretary

TRUCKEE ROTARY CLUB
Meets each Monday at 7 p.m. Donner Lake Lodge
Jas. Sherritt, Pres.
C. A. Tollefson, Sec'y.

TRUCKEE AERIE NO. 1124 Fraternal Order of Eagles
Meets 1st and 3rd Thursday Odd Fellows Hall
Carl Painter, President
John Rau, Secretary

SUMMIT LODGE NO. 54 KNIGHTS of PYTHIAS
Meets 2nd and 4th Friday in IOOF hall.
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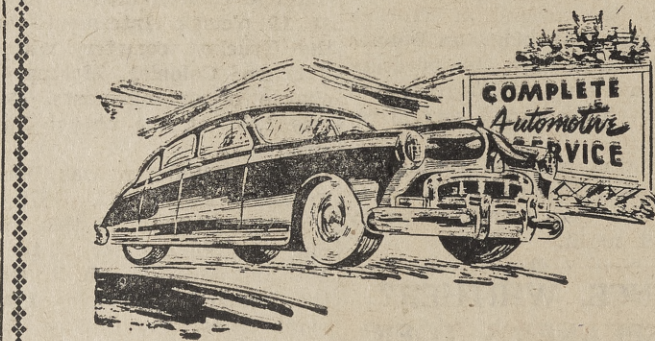
 

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My Place In the Sun

by DOUG BARRETT

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a bit ruddier after a fortnight at Sun Valley...Slim Ellert taking a dim view of our dim weather after returning from a jaunt through the Southwest...says he basked in temperatures up to 92 degrees while away...Hear that Billy Waters is home again after an additional two months in the Navy...for the time being at any rate...reports back to work with Sierra Pacific Power Monday...If any of you are interested in any legislation before the state legislature, the Sun office has all the bills extant on hand...they stack up about two feet for this session...which seems to me to be a lot of potential law considering what we already have...nevertheless, if you want to consult 'em, you are welcome...

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Truckee Elementary School News

STUDENT COUNCIL

—by Mary Ann Tonini
The Student Council has been very busy the last few weeks. Our main project has been the constitution. It has been brought to the members and we have accepted it. We also have decided to have a "lost and found" department. Bill McClain will take care of it for ten minutes in the morning and Sharon Pace will take care of it in the afternoon.

7TH & 8TH GRADES

—by Sharon Pace
The 7th and 8th grades are studying China. Sharon Pace brought a Chinese fan, umbrella and newspaper. Glenn Sadocchi and Donald Mettetter are making a Chinese map from plaster of Paris. Bill McClain, David Germain and Ernest Towler are making a landscape of China.

The class club elected new officers Friday. We elected Ernest Towler, president; Roberta Peden, vice president; Judy Loynd, secretary; Mary Ann Tonini, treasurer; Bill McClain, sergeant at arms; Stanley Rasmussen, gum catcher. The old officers included Eddie Bottel, president; Bill McClain, vice president; Stanley Rasmussen, secretary; Mary Ann Tonini, treasurer; Eugene Carillo, sergeant at arms; David Germain, gum catcher.

THIRD GRADE

—by Suzanne Knoefler
The third grade is studying Navajo Indians. They have some Indian relics; one is a tomahawk and another is an Indian doll. They have been reading a lot of stories about Indians and have many pictures.

SECOND GRADE

—by Eddie Bottel
Miss Oetjen's room is making their own movies. Each person will make a picture and put it on a scroll. Some of the things the pictures are about are dogs,

birds and farms. They may make a story about the pictures. On Monday the second grade had a movie on Care of Pets.

FIRST GRADE

—by Easton Buehler
For the past week the first grade has been studying about firemen — how they live, work and how they put out fires.

They celebrated George Washington's Birthday by drawing pictures and by reading about him.

BRIEF ITEMS

—by Roberta Peden
Sharon Pace, Mary Ann Tonini and Ginger Reynolds went skiing up at Hill Top Saturday...Tommy Dolley went to Reno Saturday...The children in Mr. Kishbaugh's room have a newspaper called the Sunset Reporter...David and Wayne Germain with the help of their father built a "hot rod racer"...The Girl Scouts of Truckee Troop No. 1 received their uniforms Saturday...There are approximately 15

TAHOE, TRUCKEE SKIERS ENTER AUBURN SKI MEET

AUBURN—Tournament director Roy Mikkelsen of the Auburn Ski Club's invitational ski meet at Cisco next Sunday, March 4, has lined up a classy field of jumpers for the unlimited Class A division of competition.

Heading the list is Chester Zober, twice winner of the Far West Ski Association championship. Other experts expected to do well include Billy Nelson of Reno, Ronald Mangseth of Auburn, Bill Campbell and Herb Copeland of Truckee, Bob Stark and Jim Baker of Tahoe and Jon Lie, former University of California expert.

These men will jump from Cisco's master hill as will the B experts and those in the special veterans class. C and D jumpers will open the tournament at noon with jumps from the small hill.

Mikkelsen lists Lewis Fellows, Joe Copeland, Darryl Stark, Len Fuson, Jim Ford, Rolf Wigaard and Jan Stuart as promising competitors in the two junior divisions.

Class B prospects include Kenneth Immer of Auburn, Pat Meyer and Allan Rasmey of Reno, Roger Wickman, Jim Morhain and Fred Holt Jr. of Tahoe.

Ronald Mangseth, president of the Auburn Ski Club, has named the following assistants to help Mikkelsen in the management of the meet:

Chief of the hill, Rolf Wigaard; judges, Carl Bechdolt, D. L. Gordon and Mikkelsen; measurers, Olaf Blodger, Sig Vettestad, Bob Seibold and Bill Bechdolt; recorder, Robert Skeels; starter, Sam Burks; registrar, Earl Larson.

Mrs. Goss In Hospital After Eye Operation

Mrs. Sam Goss of Lake Forest will have to remain in a Reno hospital for two more weeks, according to her husband. Mrs. Goss underwent a serious eye operation last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Burmer and sons Grant, Gary, Bud and Christian of Santa Cruz were visitors during the weekend at Lake Tahoe and Reno, visiting the Gosses.

more weeks of school...

BIOGRAPHY

—by Irene Goicoa
Our eighth grade student for this week is David Miles Germain. He was born in Santa Ana and his birthdate is September 1. David is now 15 years old and has three brothers and two sisters younger than himself. His favorite sports are fishing and hunting. His favorite movie star is Dennis Day. David now lives in Floriston with his family.

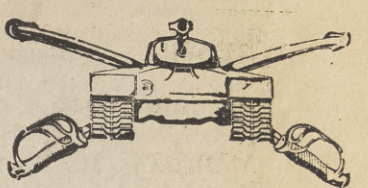
GRAZE FEES REFLECT COSTS OF MEAT; ARE UPPED FOR 1951

Guerdon Ellis, forest supervisor of the Tahoe National Forest, advises that the grazing fees for 1951 on the Tahoe National Forest are 66 cents per cow per month and 16 1/4 cents per sheep per month. This is an increase over 1950 when the respective fees were 56 and 14 1/2 cents, he stated.

National forest grazing fees are adjusted annually in accordance with a formula worked out with stockmen organizations. This provides that a fee set for 1931 will be adjusted each year, up or down, in accordance with changes from average prices received by stockmen that year. The figure on average prices received in the western states is furnished by the bureau of agricultural economics. In 1950 cattlemen received 349 per cent of the 1931 price; sheepmen were paid 271 per cent of the base price for lambs.

At the 1951 rate, the fee for 200 cattle for a three months' period on national forest land would be \$396. For 1000 sheep

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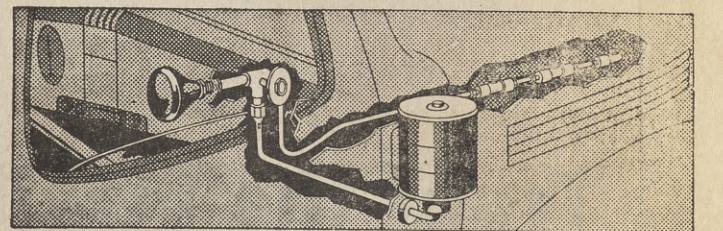


ARMOR INSIGNIA — Since the cavalry branch of the U. S. Army was replaced by the armor branch under the Army organization act of 1950, a new insignia will be worn by troops in the mechanized branches. The design above shows a front view of an M-26 tank with gun slightly raised and superimposed on two crossed cavalry sabers in scabbards with cutting edge up. It is of gold-colored metal. The artillery branch, consolidating the former field, coast and anti-aircraft artillery branches, will retain the crossed field guns insignia, a design in use for more than 100 years.

for the same period, the fee would be \$487.50. These rates are a fraction of the rentals paid for private pasture lands at lower elevations. Twenty five per cent of the grazing fees received by the forest service are turned over to the counties in which the government lands are situated and the balance goes into the U. S. treasury.

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by HENRY LOEHR



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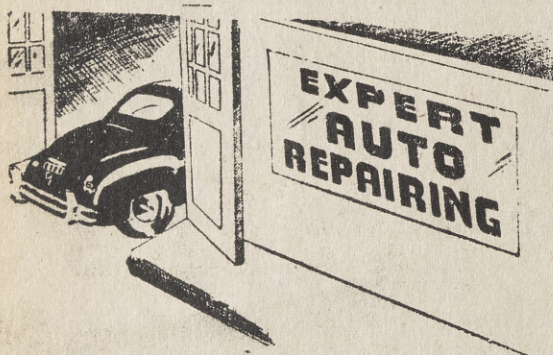
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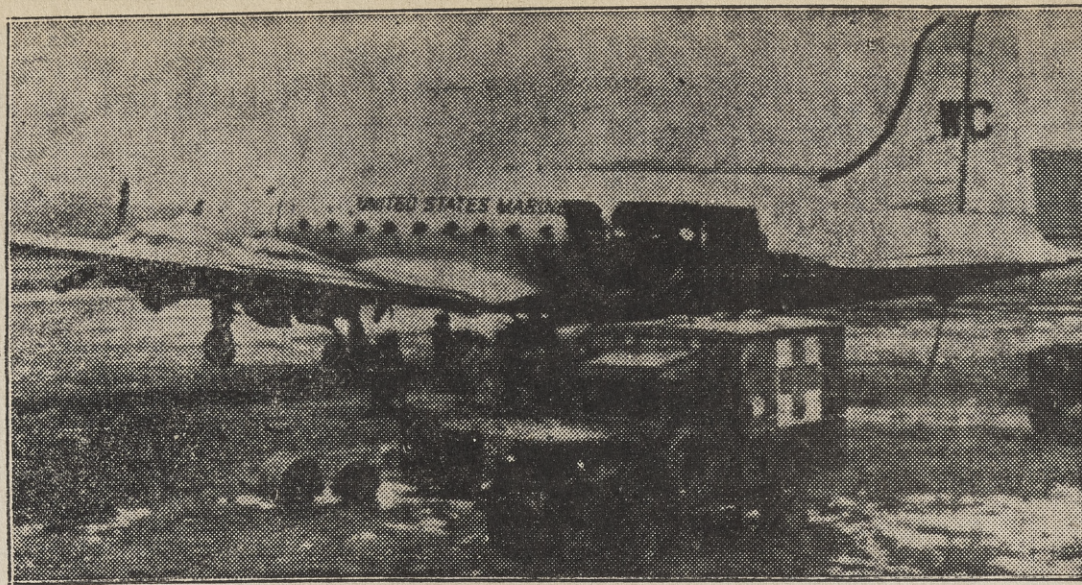


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WOUNDED MARINES BEGIN HOMEWARD FLIGHT—An ambulance on a makeshift airstrip in Korea unloads wounded and frostbitten men to be air-evacuated to well-equipped hospitals. Some of the more serious casualties were flown to the United States with occasional brief stops for medical treatment. (A radio photograph.)

North Tahoe by T. BURROUGHS

What does your community mean to you? A general meeting of the North Tahoe Community and Sports Club will be held at the Carpenters' Hall, in Kings Beach at 8:00 o'clock Tuesday evening, March 6. All discussion will be on topics of mutual community interest. The Truckee Short Cut problem will be on the list. Refreshments will be served. It is expected that all who are interested in community welfare, improvement and progress will be there with valuable thoughts to be expressed for the good of all. It is important to you as a citizen to be there.

Any local person who does something very good is to be highly commended. Mary Boyce ranks with the best of them when it comes to singing. Listen for on KOLO. Lou is always at the piano when Mary sings. Last Monday the Boyce family dined at Squaw Valley after several recordings were made for the next broadcast during which Mary is to be heard. Saw evidence of life at the Day's Lakepoint Cottages over last weekend. And, lights were on at the Walker's Edge Lake Cabins on Tuesday of this week. Could be that a lot of summer resort owners are coming home early this year. And why not, with Spring in the air? Welcome to our neighborhood



"CHESTY" GETS A STAR—Lewis B. "Chesty" Puller, of Saluda, Va., almost legendary Marine, has been promoted to brigadier general. He has commanded the 1st Marine Regiment of the 1st Marine Division in Korea since the Inchon landing in September. (A sketch made on the battle front by S/Sgt. Floyd A. Snoderly, of Knoxville, Tenn., First Marine Division combat artist.)

are Mr. and Mrs. Knutsen, formerly of Santa Rosa, who have leased the Home Cafe and are open for business. Passed there yesterday and happy to report that their welcome seems to be unanimous.

Dorothy O'Brien told me that she had on Tuesday 84 reservations for dinner at the North Tahoe Women's Club hat party being held at Cal-Vada Lodge on Thursday evening this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Rapier, with their daughter Georgia, are down in the southern part of the state for the rest of the winter.

A letter from Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Murray of Tahoe Estates wintering at Merced tells us that they have decided to build an apartment house while down there. They regret having missed being at the lake for our nice winter weather.

Bank of America Declares Dividends

Directors of Bank of America have declared a regular cash dividend for the current semiannual period, payable in two quarterly installments, at the annual rate of \$1.60 per share. The first quarterly payment of forty cents per share will be made on March 31 to shareholders of record as of February 28. The second payment will be made on June 30 to shareholders of record as of May 31, 1951.

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The filing period for tax exemption on \$1,000 worth of a veteran's real property opens on March 5, and John T. Trauner, Nevada County service officer, has urged all veteran property owners to apply without delay to the county assessor's office. "Certainly you have until the first Monday in May to file," he commented, "but a number of veterans have found in previous years that the filing period goes by faster than they realize and they have lost out on this valuable benefit."

The state constitution provides the exemption for veterans whose property does not exceed \$5,000 in value. It must be applied for each year, however, and if the property is within the limits of an incorporated city separate applications must be made to the city and county assessors.

Veterans applying for the exemption for the first time at their present address must bring proof of veteran status, such as a copy of their discharge certificate, Trauner said.

Tax Collections Soar In County Since War

Property owners in Nevada County this year are being billed for \$1,161,707 in local taxes — 18½ per cent more than the \$980,422 property tax bill in the county for 1949-50 and 73½ per cent more than the \$689,723 bill for 1946-47, the first post-war year, California Taxpayers' Association reports.

Included in the \$1,161,707 property tax bill in the county for 1950-51 are \$536,196 of general county taxes, \$104,488 for municipal taxes, \$494,820 in taxes for school districts in the county and \$26,203 in special district taxes.

The Easter Cross on San Francisco's Mount Davidson is believed to be the tallest Easter Cross in the world, 103 feet, while the mountain itself is the loftiest point in the city.

Veterans who cannot take the time from their business to call at the assessor's office may have their wives file their application in their behalf.

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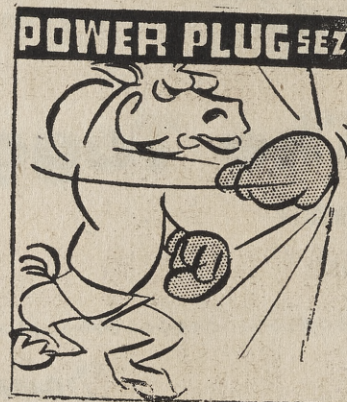
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SWANEE'S TAHOE LETTER

Tahoe City, Feb. 25th
Dear Tahoeites:

Was pleasantly surprised today to learn that son Jimmie won second place in the Far West Ski Association's Class B downhill contest on Saturday at Yosemite. He was only 8.4 seconds behind the winner, Fred Corfee, a University of California ski team member who raced for the California Kandahar Club. Corfee's time for the two runs was 1:07.4 and 1:07.2, while Jim's were 1:11.8 and 1:11.2. Bob Stark, Schramm, Howard Guth and who accompanied Jim came in John Cunningham for their assistance with a total of 2:24.6. Pete tance in addressing envelopes for

Vanni drove the boys back in his car so they could get some sleep en route.

Had a nice note from Mrs. Louise Geier who is chairman of the Tahoe branch of the American Red Cross. She tells me that Tahoe's quota for the drive which starts March 1 is again \$1050 and she hopes that the Tahoe area will again oversubscribe its quota as in former years. She appeals especially to summer residents now living in their homes in other areas to send at least a portion of their contributions to member who raced for the California Kandahar Club. Corfee's time for the two runs was 1:07.4 and 1:07.2, while Jim's were 1:11.8 and 1:11.2. Bob Stark, Schramm, Howard Guth and who accompanied Jim came in John Cunningham for their assistance with a total of 2:24.6. Pete tance in addressing envelopes for

the drive. With an undeclared war on our hands the needs of the Red Cross have mounted terrifically and each and every one of us is asked to contribute as generously as possible.

Had a letter from former Tahoeites Mr. and Mrs. Chester Langenstien who have forsaken Canada and are living in Oakland. Helen writes that they had as their dinner guests recently Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Schlueter who have been residing at the east bay district. They visit back and forth and are more than happy to be back. The Langensteins returned to California last November and have bought a home in Oakland where Chet has his own barber shop once more. In spite of the beautiful scenery, old friends and family members in Vancouver, B.C., both Chet and Helen couldn't resist the lure of the Golden State. They miss Tahoe and want to visit here as soon as possible and send along cheery greetings to their many old friends in the Tahoe-Truckee region.

Also had a clipping from the Tahoe Yacht Club's new commadore, Rudolph Zimmerman, who with his wife is vacationing at Palm Springs. The article is by Robert O'Brien and is titled "A Winter's Night in Lake Tahoe with a Demijohn." It tells the story of Captain Dick Barter whose home-made coffin and tomb on the island in Emerald Bay gave the spot its name, Dead Man's Island. It tells, among other things, of how he spent an entire night in the chilly waters of the lake when his boat capsized. By making fast the painter of the boat around his body and by partaking of the contents of a demijohn of whiskey through the night he managed to survive the ordeal. He froze his feet and hands and was 11 weeks confined to his house—and salted down his toes that dropped off and kept them in a small box as a memento of the terrible night. The old man died in a storm trying to reach the island and his coffin. Thanks, commodore, for the story.

Lake Tahoe Ski Club was disappointed last week when it was learned that Einar Weithal could not be sent to Maine for the Olympic tryouts because he was not yet an American citizen. The sum of \$300 was being collected to send him back by plane when the discovery was made. Money collected was returned to the donors.

Wind this up for another week and trust good cheer, good luck and good health will be yours. As ever, Swanee.

Sisters Jointly Feted For Birthdates

TAHOE CITY—A delightful surprise party was given on Wednesday evening last for two sisters whose birthdates are approximately a week apart. They are Mrs. Becky Shontz who celebrated on February 21 and Mrs. Violet Pomin who observes hers on March 1. The party was held at the Shontz home and was hostessed by Mrs. Jean Henry and Mrs. Betty Starratt. Canasta was enjoyed prior to the serving of two beautiful birthday cakes and refreshments. Guests included Mesdames Patti Scott, Helen Mattheus, Mary Ann Connors, Basil Kehoe, Max Porter, Bernie Bechdoit, Solvig Beavers, Martha Snyder, the hostesses and the honorees.

At Sun Valley—Miss Kathleen Starratt of Tahoe City is enjoying a vacation skiing at Sun Valley. Also at the Valley for two weeks are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fellows and children Lewis and Sandra.

The Overland Telegraph Company established communication between San Francisco and New York October 4, 1861.



BULLET-RIDDLED AMBULANCE STILL OPERATES—Perforated by enemy small arms and automatic weapons fire, a U. S. ambulance was proceeding under its own power in evacuating United Nations casualties from a Korean battle front.

MELODY PROPOSES MEASURE FOR DONNER ALTERNATE

The Nevada state assembly has been asked to urge completion of the Winnemucca-to-the-sea highway in a resolution sponsored by Assemblyman George Melody of Humboldt County. Melody is a former Truckee resident, having been employed here by the U.S. forest service.

The resolution said there was danger in event of war that the Donner Pass route over the Sierra would be bombed and closed and that completion of the Humboldt route would be a good defense measure.

It said the route crossed the "historical, almost forgotten Applegate Pass used by the 49ers" and pointed out that Cedar Pass was the lowest route through the Sierra, being 1,000 feet lower than Donner Summit.

In addition, the resolution continued, opening of the route by completing the "relatively few miles of pavement involved" would bring more tourists into Nevada from the Pacific Northwest.

Melody's motion to refer the resolution to the roads and transportation committee carried unanimously. It would memorialize Humboldt and Washoe County commissioners, the state highway department and the federal pub-

lic roads administration to complete the Winnemucca-to-the-sea highway.

Tahoe Women to Enter Poetry Competition

TAHOE CITY—At least three Tahoe women will enter poems in the University of Redlands Robert Browning Poetry Contest which closes March 31, according to Mrs. Laura Wilson, secretary of the Women's Club of Tahoe. They are Mrs. Marguerite Webb of Loomis and Tahoe, Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Eleanor Swanson.

The contest is divided into three divisions, adult, high school and junior high school. Details for other prospective contestants are available from either Mrs. Swanson or Mrs. Wilson.

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FLORISTON

by C. A. FELESINA
Little Susie Hammersmith of Sparks spent a few days recently visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Smitts. Also visiting the Smitts home were Mr. and Mrs. Don Pollard and son Donny of Reno.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Morrison are enjoying a visit from his mother who is here from Santa Rosa.

Mrs. Katherine Craig of San Francisco was a recent visitor at the home of her son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Craig.

Hugh Lee of Reno was a Saturday luncheon guest at the Lester Felesina home.

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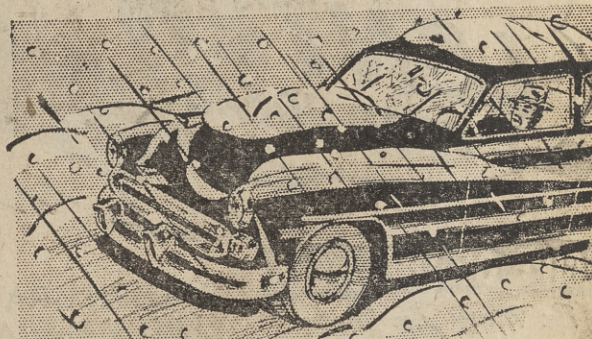
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Scotts Proud Owners Of New Buick Here

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Scott have taken delivery of a new Buick Roadmaster Riviera from Osburn's Buick Garage. Osburn reports the sale of six new cars since the first of the year but is meeting some difficulty in obtaining the cars fast enough to fill all orders promptly. Clarence and Charles Osburn were in San Francisco last week and returned with two new Buicks for the agency here.

Nevada Visitors—

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Langille visited Fallon last Thursday and were later joined by Mr. and Mrs. Vern Shattuck for a trip to Lake Mead, near Las Vegas, this week.

Donner Theater Locale For Birthday Observance

Tony Ilardi, who was nine years on Monday, February 26, was given a Donner Theater party by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ilardi, the previous Friday evening.

Two decorated cakes and other refreshments were served after games and the gifts were opened by the young honoree. The following group of boys went to the show: Errol Kehm, Ray Roberts, Barry Phipps, Joe Miller, Todd McGee, Harold Brown, Kenneth Osburn, Eddie Rankin, Fred Morris, Frank Patton and Tony.

At Woodland—

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ilardi were Woodland visitors this week.

Jiggs Dinner Enjoyed At Party for Sisters

A Jiggs supper was prepared and served by Mrs. Julia Ciardella following the meeting of the Pythian Sisters Summit Temple 79 on last Thursday night. Ruth Hesse, chairman of the program, arranged a George Washington party, enjoyed by the members.

The Thimble Club held a special meeting in the home of Mrs. Hazel Roberts on Tuesday, the purpose being to reorganize the group. Mrs. Roberts and Theresa Lyons were hostesses.

Richard Bradshaws Are Parents of Baby Boy

The belated news from Mr. and Mrs. Al Bradshaw informs local friends that they are again grandparents. This time their son, Richard, is the proud father of an eight pound two ounce son born February 4 and named Gregory Jensen Bradshaw. "Another fisherman," Grandfather Bradshaw, former president of the Truckee Outdoor Sportsmen, relates.

Pepper Is Confirmed As Probation Deputy

Douglas Barrett was in Nevada City Monday to attend a meeting of the Nevada County probation committee. Principal business of the meeting was confirmation of A. E. Pepper as deputy to Probation Officer Thomas Barrett. Pepper, who formerly served as a deputy sheriff both in Nevada City and Truckee, has been acting deputy pending action by the probation group.

The committee also discussed a proposed detention home and toured the county jail, guided by Sheriff Wayne Brown.

Bottle Guests—

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Bottel this week are Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hayden and Mrs. Erwin Hayden of Riverside.

— CLASSIFIED —

TYPEWRITER SERVICE— M. Armstrong of Armstrong's Typewriter Service at Reno will be in Truckee the second week of each month to service school equipment. If you are having trouble leave word at the Sierra Sun or call Reno 7237. Cleaning, repairing, overhauling and supplies. **tt**

FOR SALE— '43 military Jeep, metal top, snow plow blade, good condition. Price \$500. See Ray Sorensen, or telephone Brockway 96.

FOR RENT— Garage on highway; cement floor. Call Truckee 225. **x**

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FOR SALE— Office Furniture. Telephone Truckee 41.

Sassarini Improving After Hip Fracture

Luca Sassarini, well known and long time resident of Truckee, is improving following an operation at the Washoe Medical Center, following the fracture of his right hip in an auto accident here last week. Sassarini was injured when a car driven by Mrs. Eugene Ilardi struck him as it was backing from a curb on main street.

It was at first believed the injured man had only bruises but an x-ray revealed the more serious injury. His friends are hopeful that he will recover fast and completely.

At Sacramento—

Mr. and Mrs. William Preston and sons were Sacramento visitors last weekend.

In Hospital—

Mrs. Foston Wilson underwent an operation at Reno on Saturday. Her rapid recovery to health is expected.

Minor Injuries Result From Skidding Crashes

Mrs. Bertha Matson, 63, Fairfield, suffered a broken ankle and the driver of the car in which she was a passenger, Carl Matson, 48, had only minor injuries Thursday afternoon when the vehicle skidded and ran 100 feet off the road near the foot of Donner Grade.

Sue Simonini, 43, Palo Alto, had minor injuries at 10 o'clock

that morning when her car skidded on the ice five miles east of Truckee and overturned.

State Patrolman William Gault, who investigated and the Truckee ambulance brought the injured to Truckee for treatment by Dr. L. D. Nelson.

Baxters Back—

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Baxter of San Luis Obispo were visitors here this week.



Two Shows Nightly: 7:00 and 9:00 P. M.
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SELECTED SHORTS ON EACH PROGRAM

Thurs., Mar. 1

DAVID HARUM

Will Rogers
Louise Dresser

Selected Short Subjects

Fri.-Sat., Mar. 2-3

BORN TO BE BAD

Joan Fontaine
Zachary Scott

Fox News - Selected Shorts

Sun.-Mon., Mar. 4-5

OUTRIDERS

Joel McCrea
Arlene Dahl

MGM News - Selected Shorts

Tues.-Wed., Mar. 6-7

BETWEEN MIDNIGHT
AND DAWN

Mark Stevens
Edmond O'Brien

Selected Short Subjects

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AFTER MARCH 1, 1951

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Truckee Sanitary Service



RECIPE OF THE WEEK

By Mary Lee Taylor

Macaroni Loaf with Creamed Tuna

Broadcast: March 3, 1951

1 slightly beaten egg
1/2 cup Sego Milk
1 tablespoon water
4 teaspoons grated onion
1/4 teaspoon salt
or ground pepper

2 1/2 cups cooked macaroni
4 teaspoons melted shortening
1 can condensed cream of mushroom soup
7-oz. can tuna

Grease well, then dust with flour a qt. ring mold or loaf pan. Mix egg, milk, water, onion, salt, pepper, macaroni and shortening. Put into mold or pan. Set in pan holding 1/2 in. hot water. Bake in moderately slow oven (350) 45 min., or until firm. Remove from oven; loosen sides of loaf with knife. Let stand 5 min. Mix and heat until seaming hot mushroom soup and flaked tuna. Turn out loaf. Serve with creamed tuna in ring or around loaf. Makes 4 servings.

Note: If creamed tuna is too thick, add 2 tablesp. water.

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TWO TALL CANS | 30c |
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STRAINED TUNA | 24c |
| SALOMAR MACKEREL | 15 oz. 21c |
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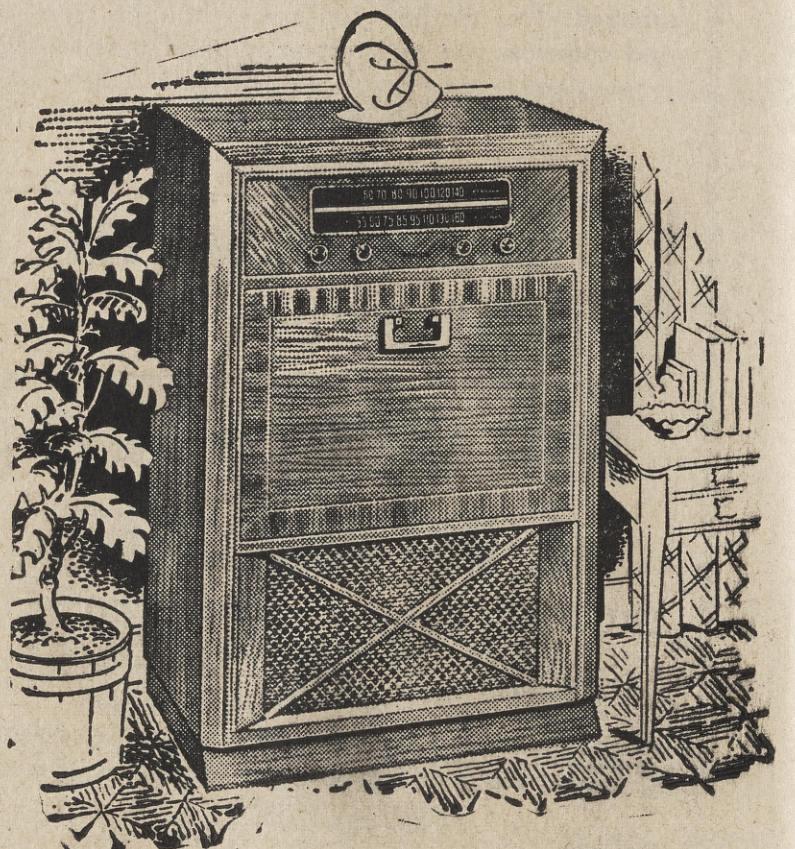
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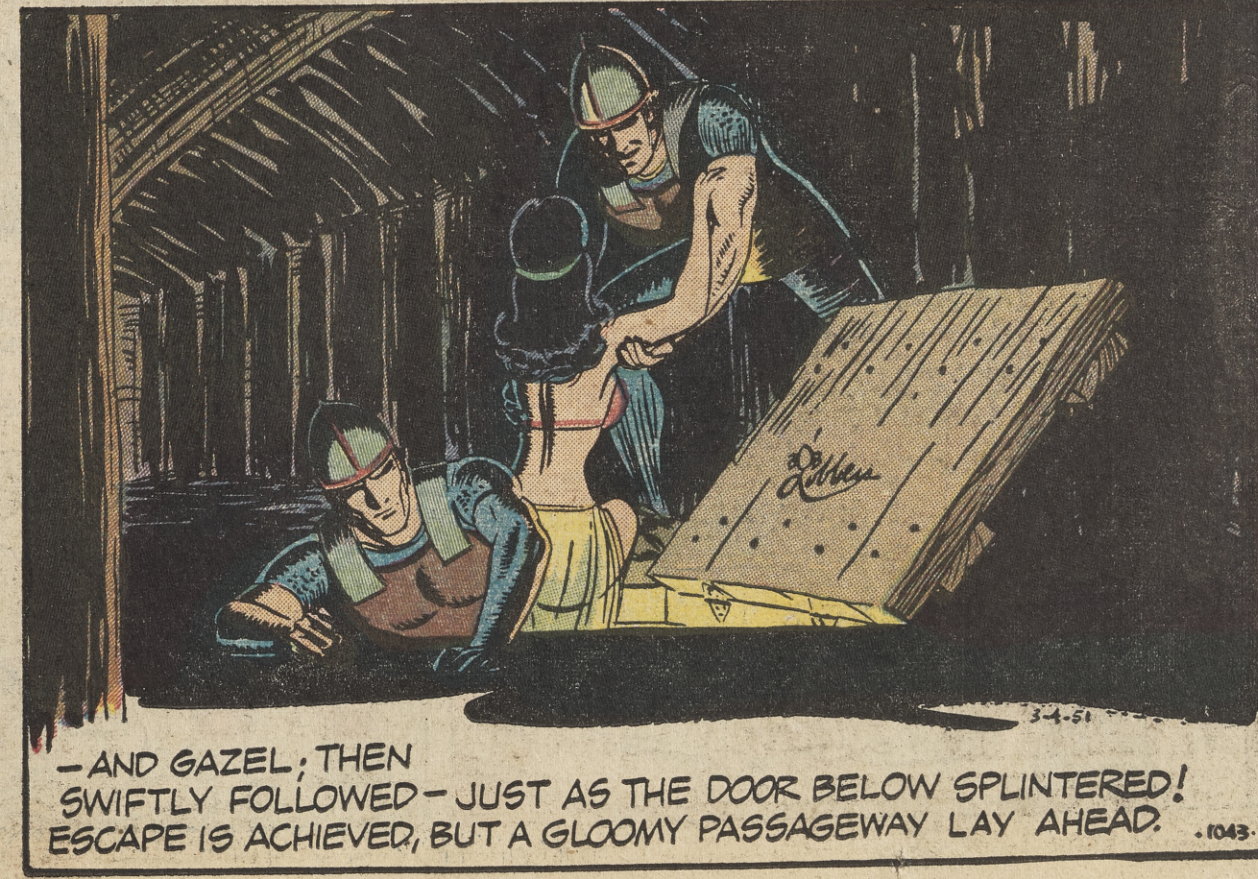
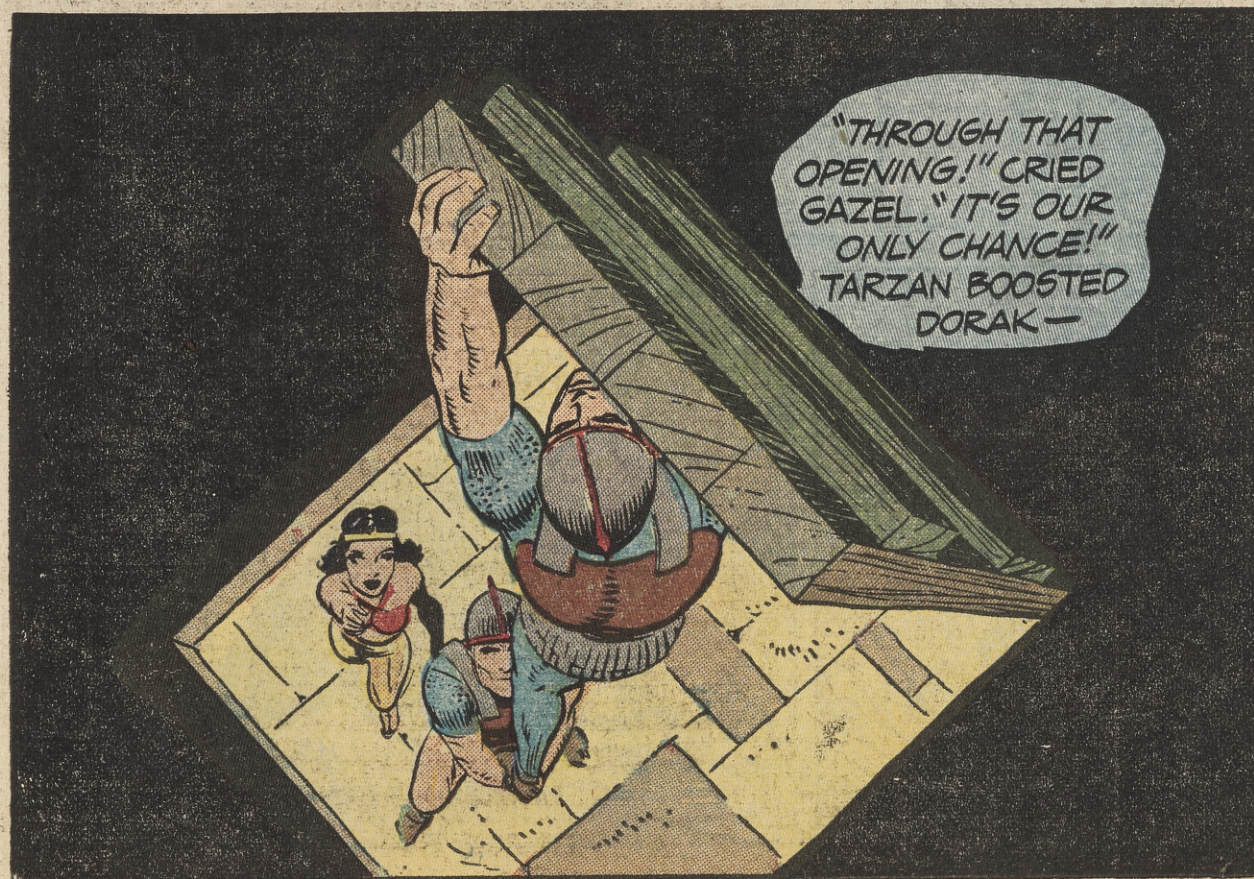
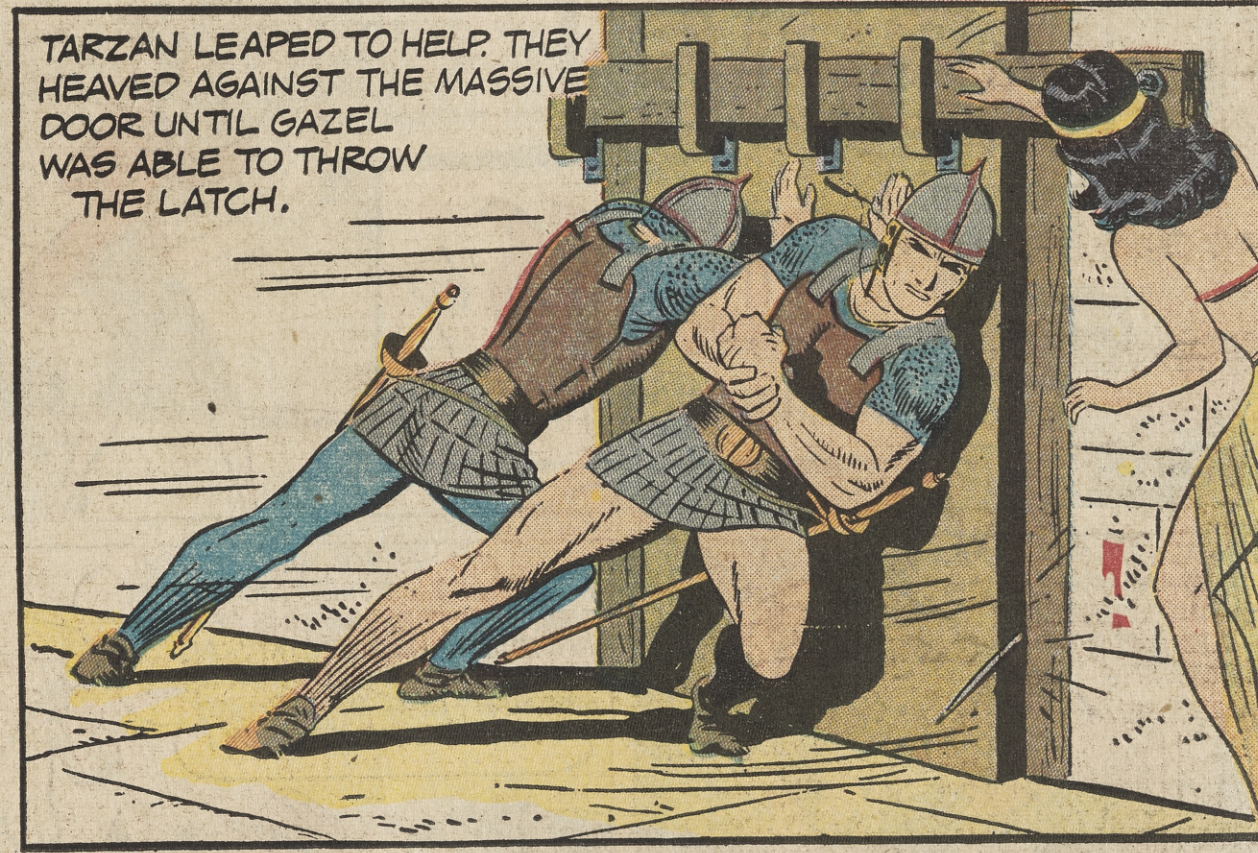
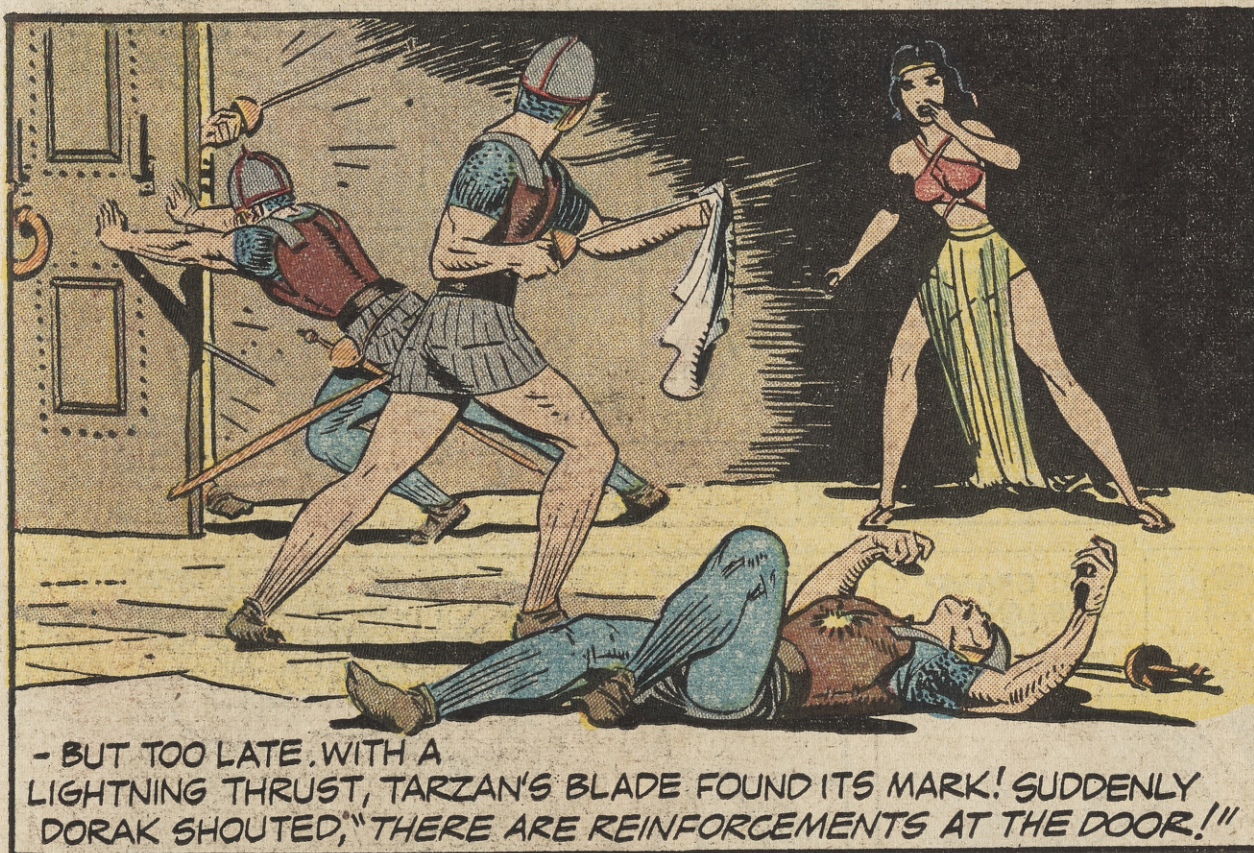
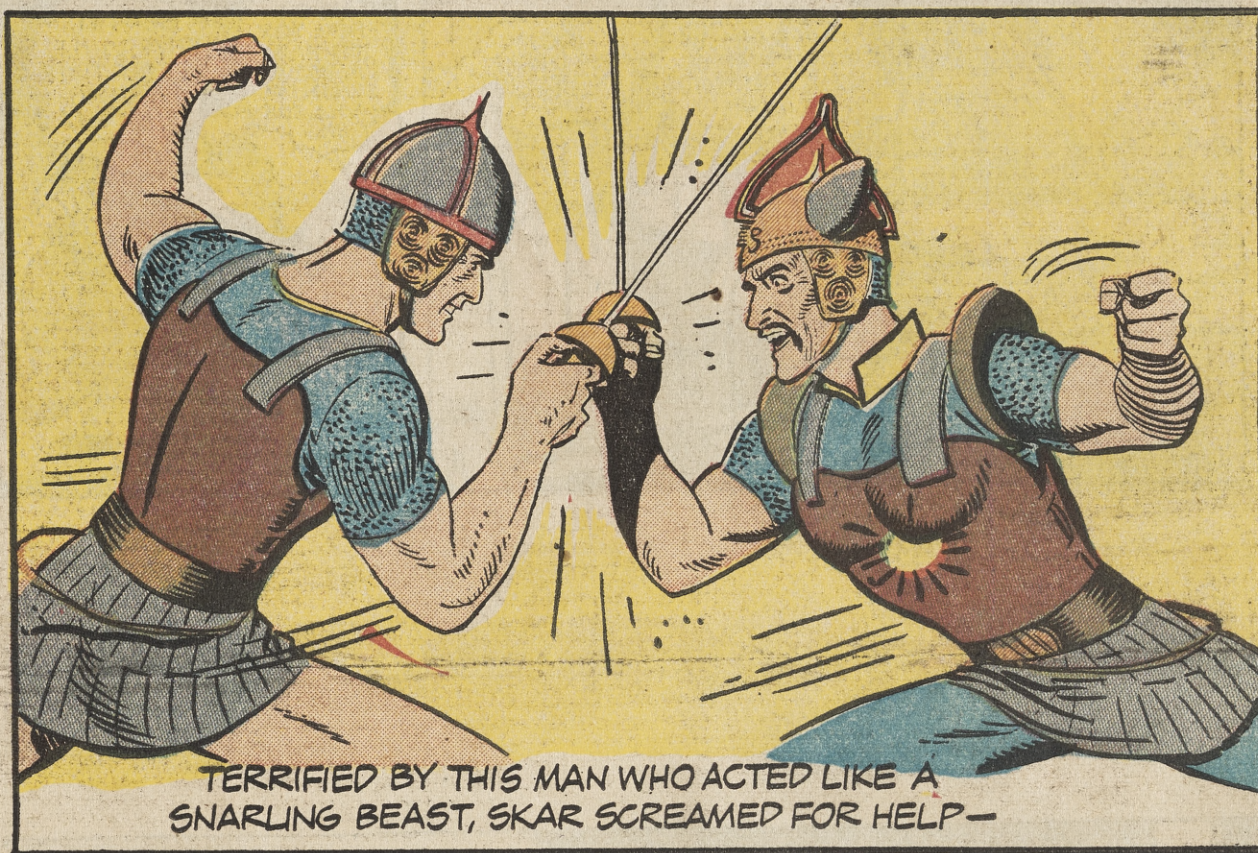
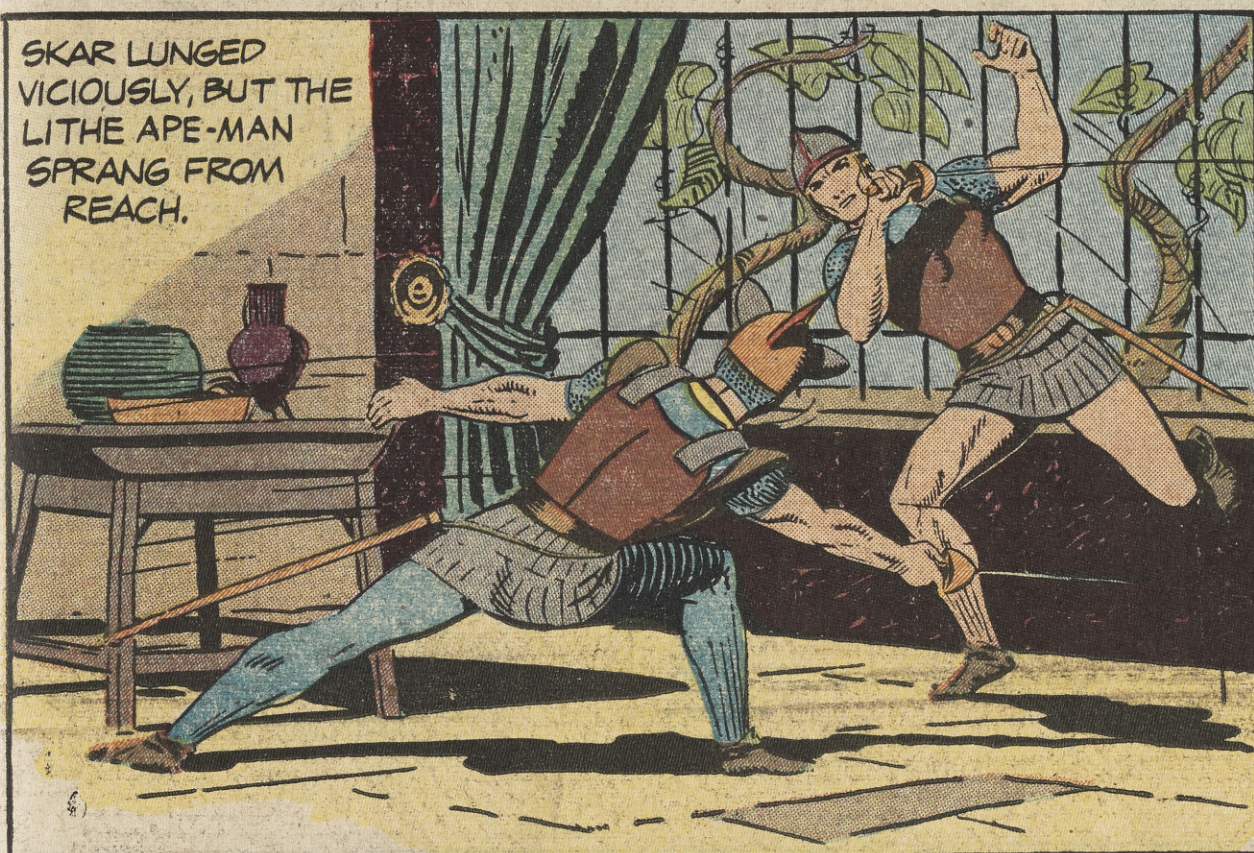
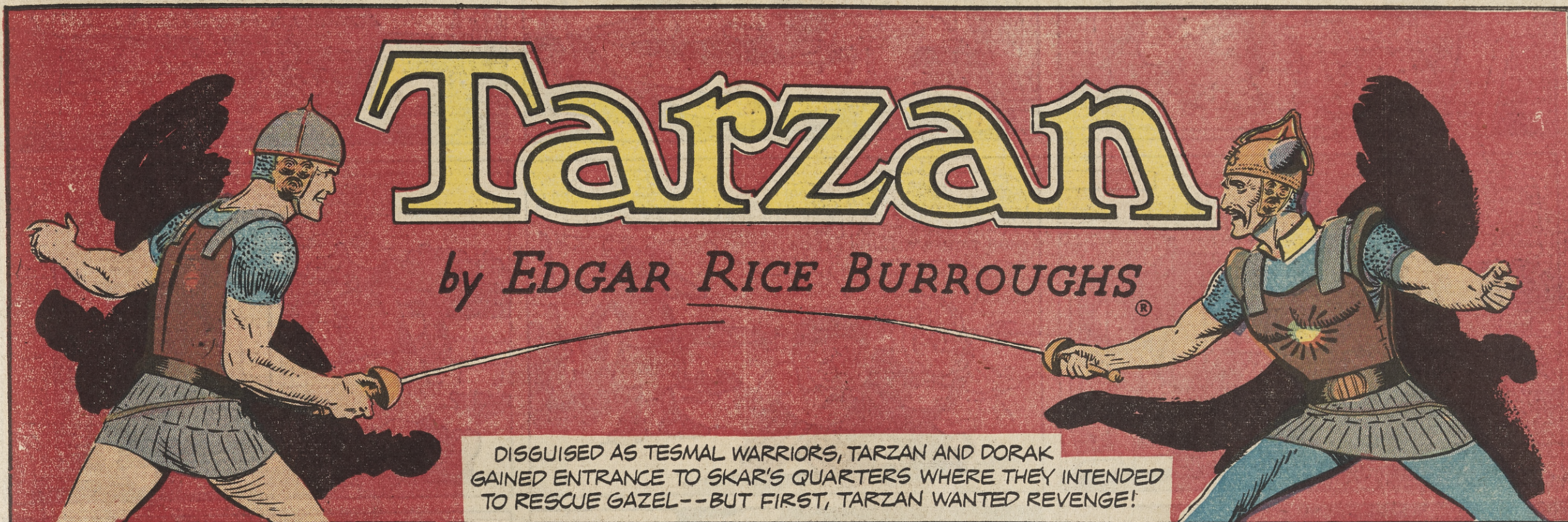
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"IT SHINES FOR ALL"
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**THE CAPTAIN
AND THE
KIDS**

ISS DER KINK
STILL MAD ABOUT
DOT ZOO BITZNESS,
YOUR MACHESTY?

PEEVED,
I'D SAY, BUT
HE'LL GET
OVER IT

BY
J. TIRKS

SO THESE ARE THE SQUIDS THAT LET LOOSE THE ANIMALS, EH? O.K. NOW ALL THEY GOTTA DO IS REPLENISH THE CAGES, RIGHT?

RIGHT!
ONLY LET ME
GET MY HANDS
ON 'EM FOIST

PLEASE,
THUST FOR DE
OVERCISE

DID YOU HEAR DOT?
REPLENISH DER CAGES
 MIT VILD VUNS! DOT
 SOUNDS LIKE A TOUGH
 CHOB, FATHER VILLIUM

COME
ON, IT'S FOR
A TOUGH BUN
SO VE DO A TO
CHOB, DEY I
ASKING

I'LL GIVE YOU BIRDS
TWENTY-FOUR HOURS
OR COMES THE OIL-BOI
REMEMBER THAT!

OH, DEAR!

IN THE MEANTIME, GENTLE-
-MEN, YOU STAY PUT; SO RELAX!
I'LL FETCH YOUR BREA-
-FAST IN THE MORN-
-ING! NIGHTY-NIGHT
WISE GUYS

BAH-
IMACHINE
DEM VEASELS
GIFFING A HAND.

F ME,
IA VOS
R LIKE

PSS-T-
ENDER CHOB,
ERS

LOOK! A SAW
UND A GIMLET
FUM HEFFEN GE-

GOOEY,
DER LIDDLE

NO OIL-
-BOIL FOR
DISS BABY!
I REMEMBER

BEAT IT,
BOYS, WHILE
IT'S HOT

STEP ON DER
GAS, CAPTAIN


WELL, HERE'S
YOUR BREAKFAST,
GENTS - WOT

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OINK

ABBIE
an'
SLATS by
RAEBURN VAN RIJEN

AND I SAY WHOEVER IS STUPID ENOUGH TO EAT GRASS TO LIVE LONGER DON'T DESERVE TO LIVE! HERE'S MY RESIGNATION-BELFRY, AND THAT AIN'T HAV!



BUT, VIOLA, DARLING
7 WE HAVE
ANOTHER
LECTURE IN
TEN
MINUTES

**IN PERSON
BATTINGTON
BELFRY
AUTHOR OF
EAT GRASS-
LIVE LONGER**

AHHH! THE PERFECT TYPE
 FOR MY DEMONSTRATION-
 HUNGRY AND
 GUILTY!

AN' ALL I GOTTA DO IS
EAT WHAT YER SERVIN'
UP AND LOOK LIKE I
ENJOYS IT?
KEEFECT?

---YOU WILL SEE FOR YOURSELF HOW
MY DIET OF THE PUREST, MOST DELEC-
TABLE, MOST ENERGIZING OF ALL OF
NATURE'S BOUNTIFUL, NATURAL
FOODS SENDS EVEN THIS **TATTERED**
REMNANT OF HUMANITY INTO
GASTRONOMIC ECSTASY!

EAT GRASS-
LIVE LONGER
BY
MATTINGTON BELFRY

PSST! LOOK
ECSTATIC, YOU
OLD
WALRUS!

I'M (CHOKE!) TRYIN' TO-
JUST KEEP YER BLARSTED
(GASP!) KNUCKLES
OUTA ME
THROAT!!

LATER

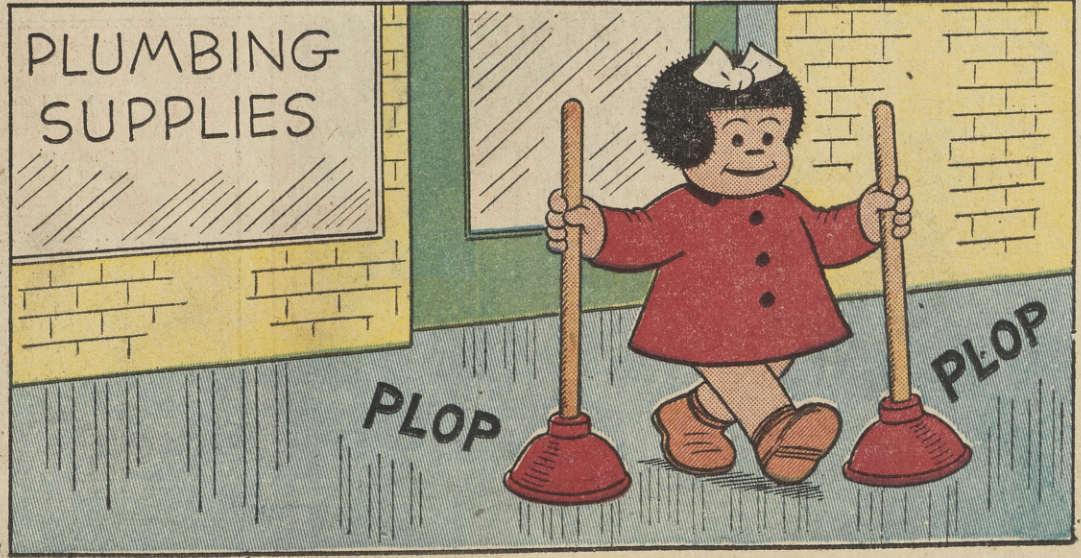
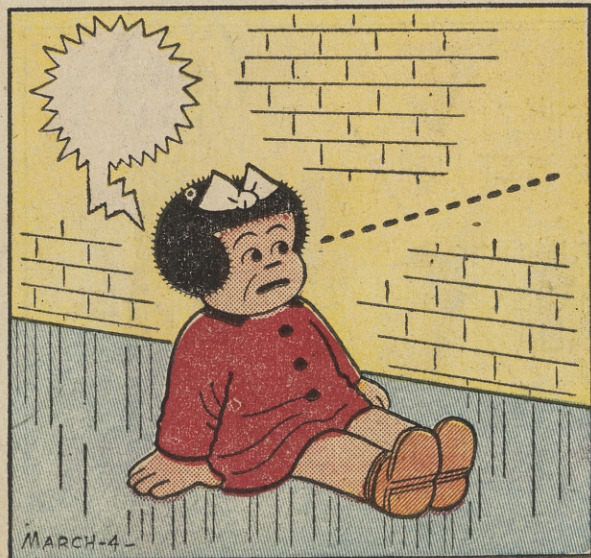
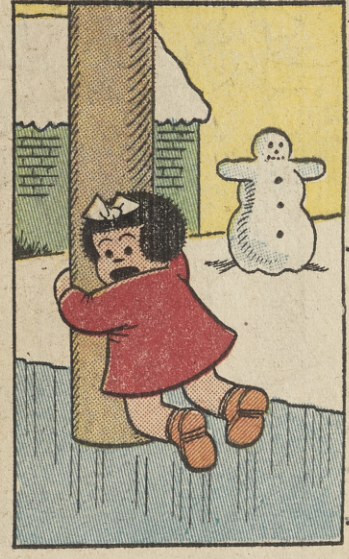
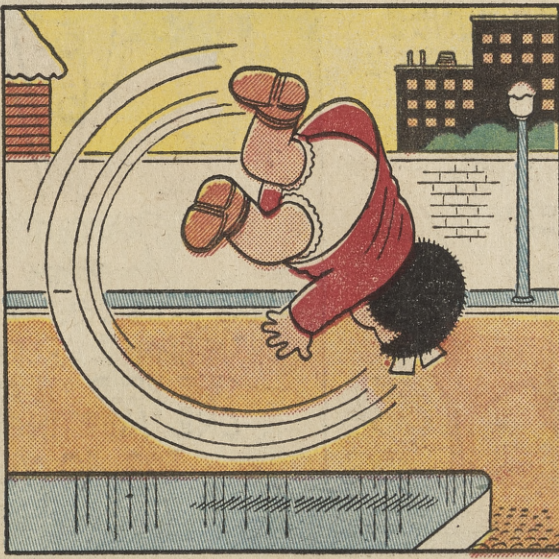
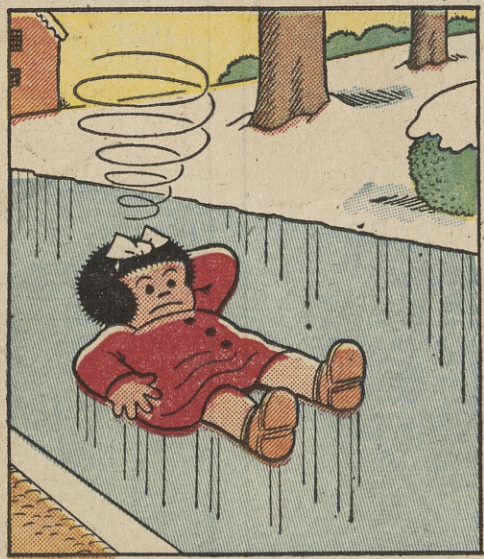
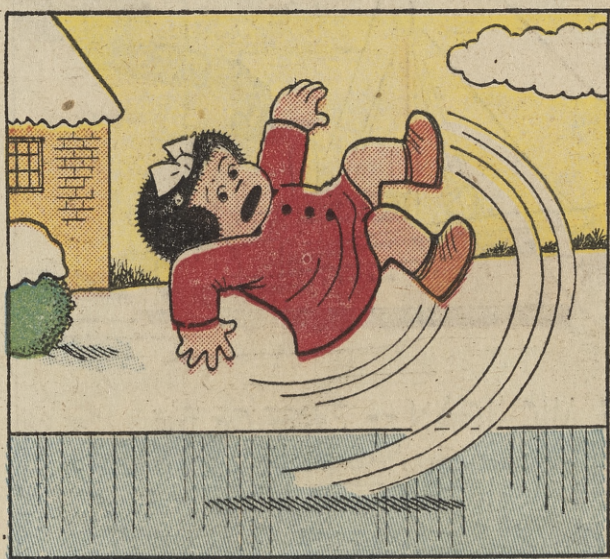
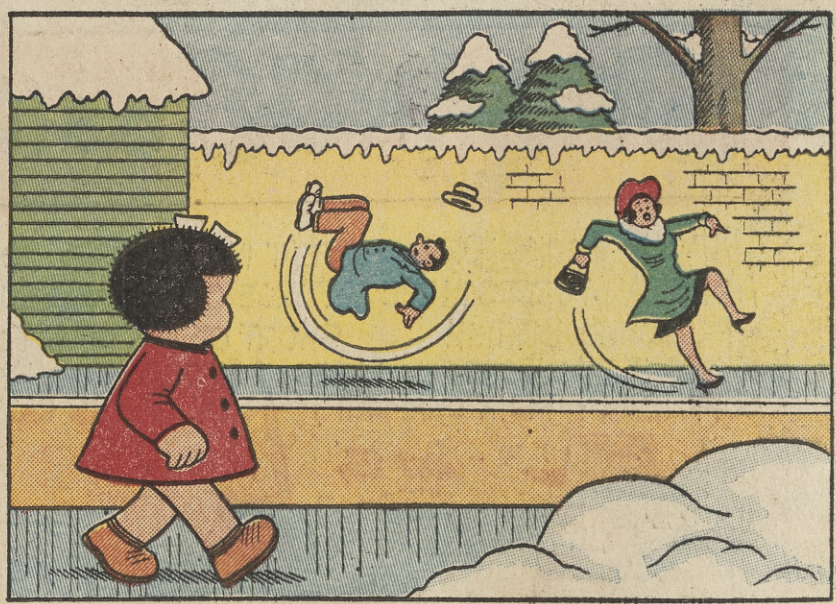
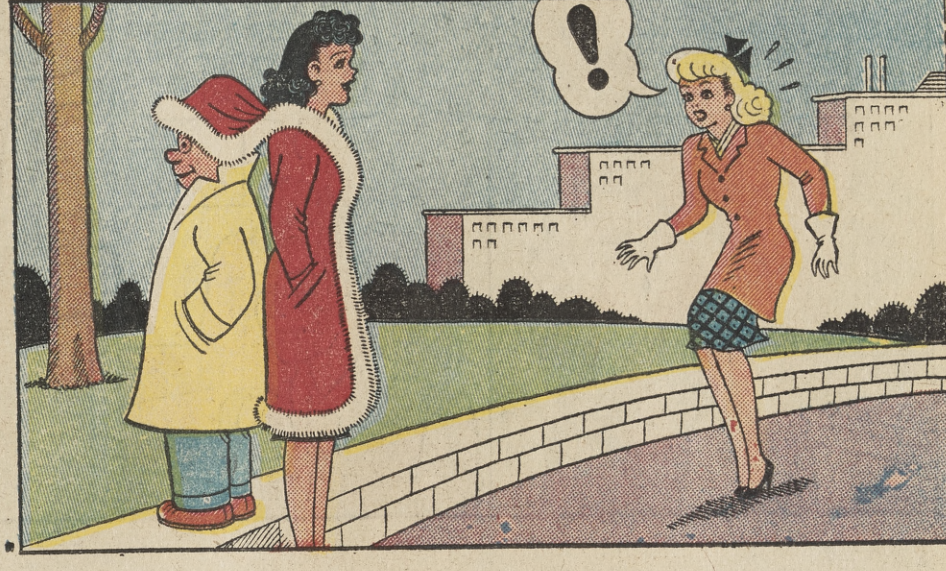
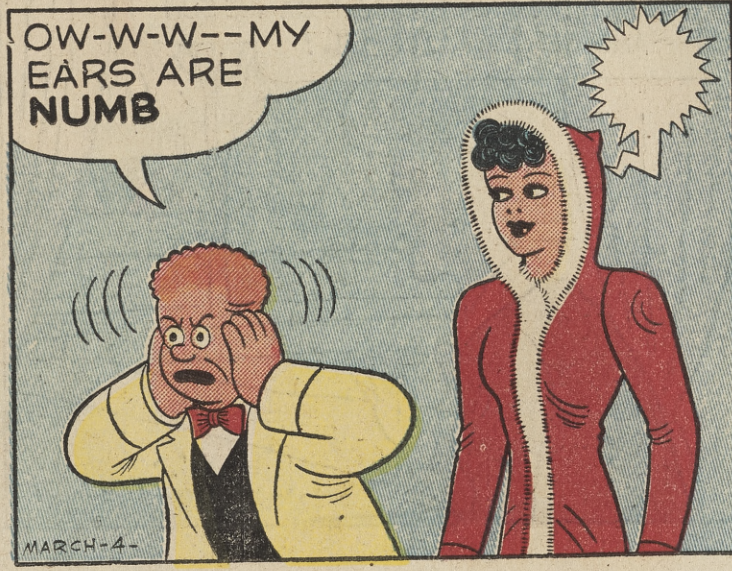
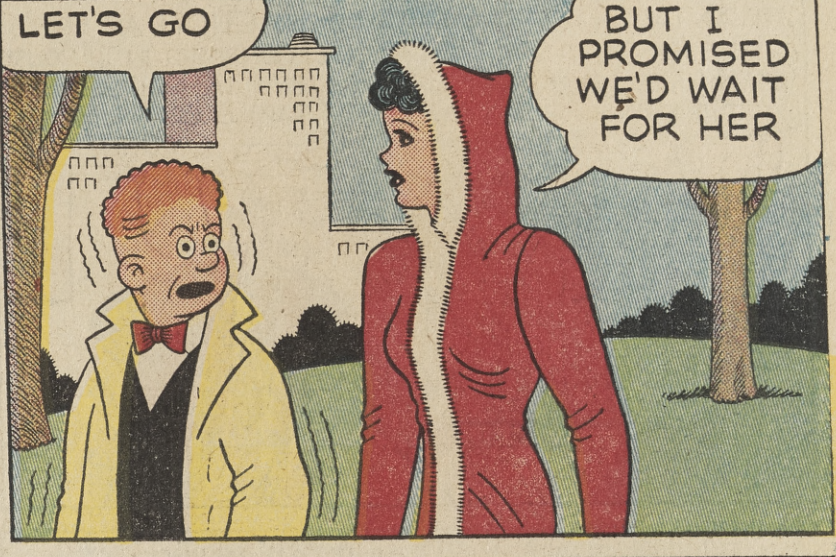
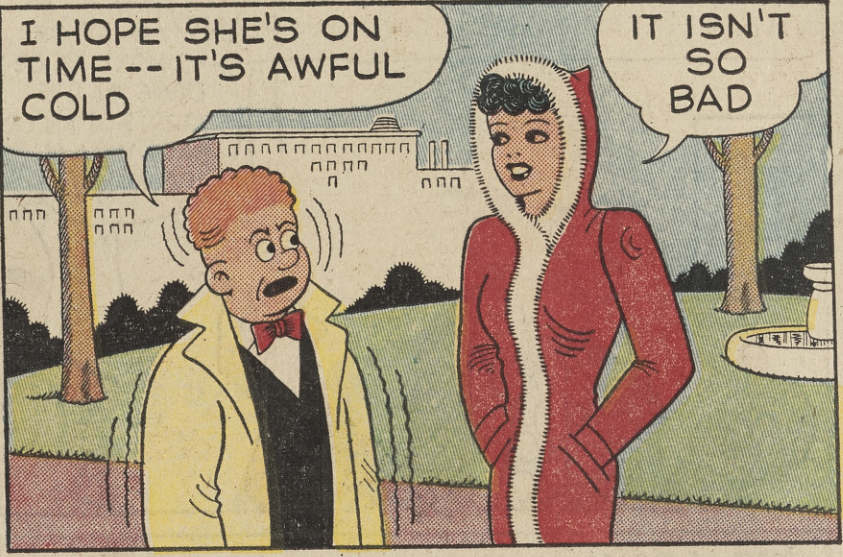
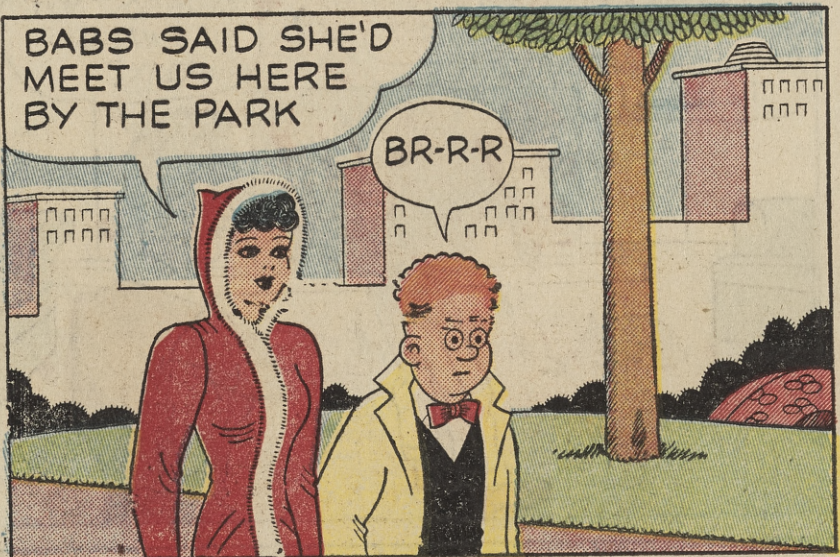
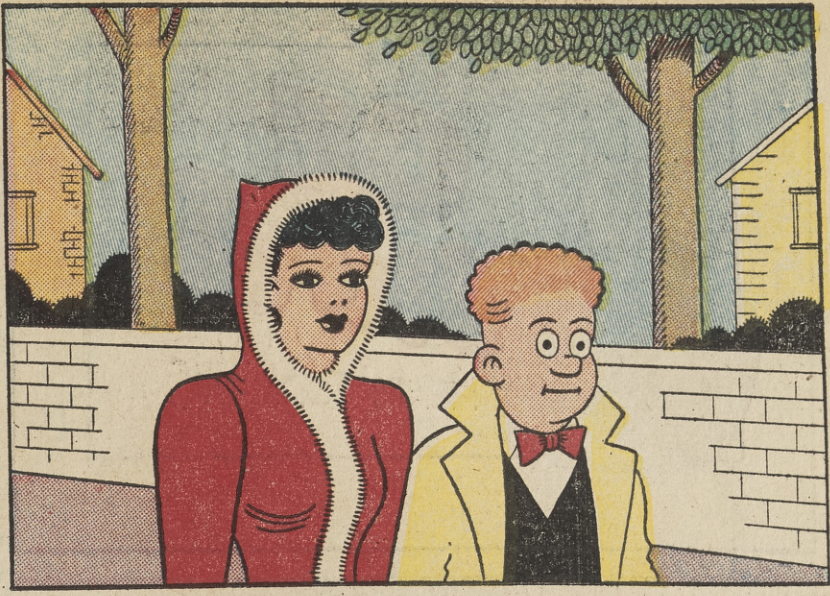
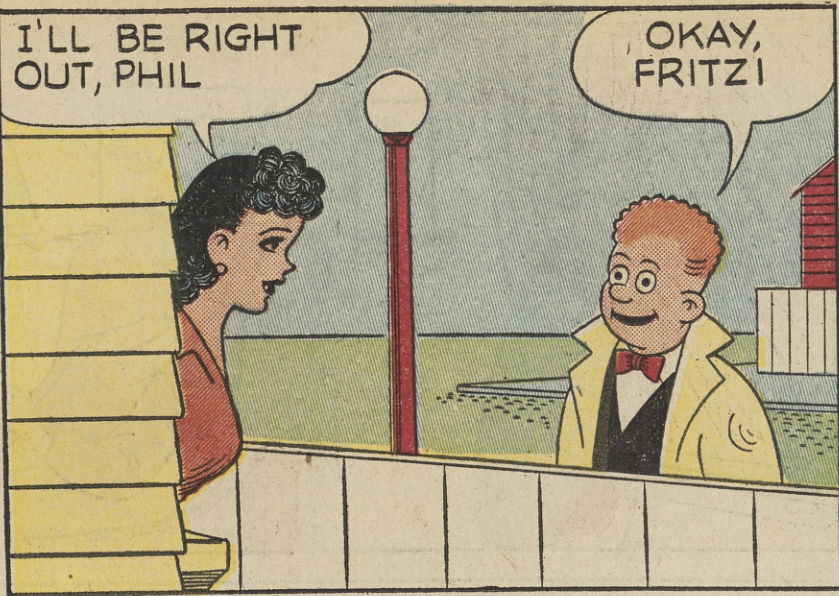
ANY MORON WHO GOES THROUGH
LIFE ACTUALLY LIKIN' THAT STUFF
DON'T DESERVE
NOTHIN' BUT
SYMPATHY
SNIFF! SNIFF!

(SNIFF.) STEAK—MEDIUM WELL—
AN' (SNIFF.) HASHED BROWN POTATOES—
AN' YER STUFFIN' YER
LYIN' THROAT WITH
'EM, EH, BELFRY!

EAT THIS AN' LOOK ECSTATIC, YA
SLIMY OLE HYPOCRITE-- THIS COW
CAVIAR IS GONNA ADD YEARS
T'YER MISERABLE
LIFE!

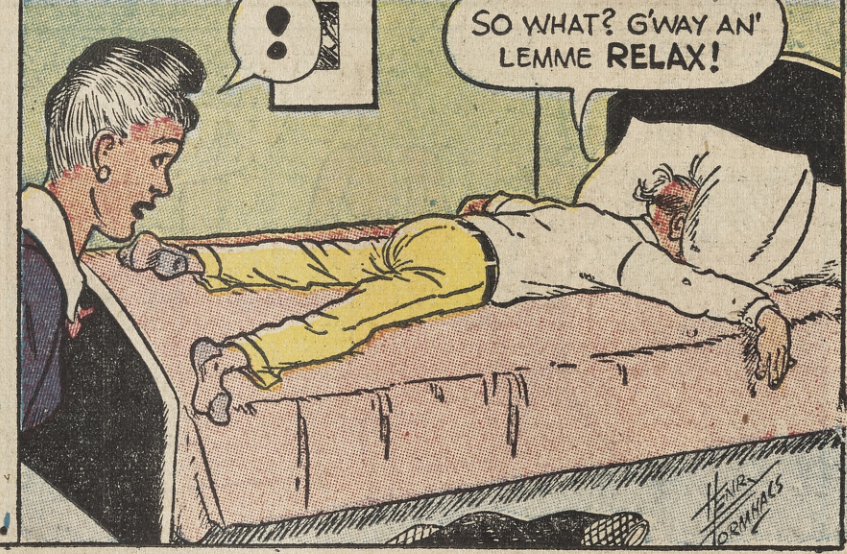
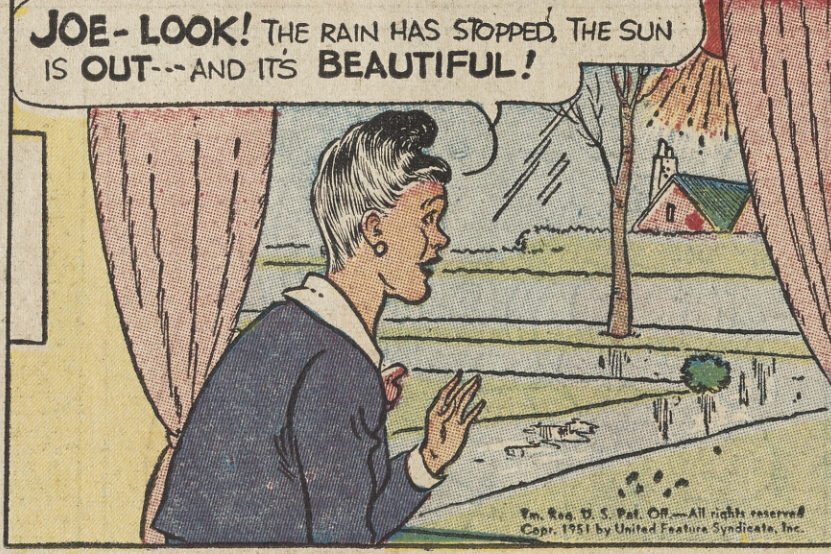
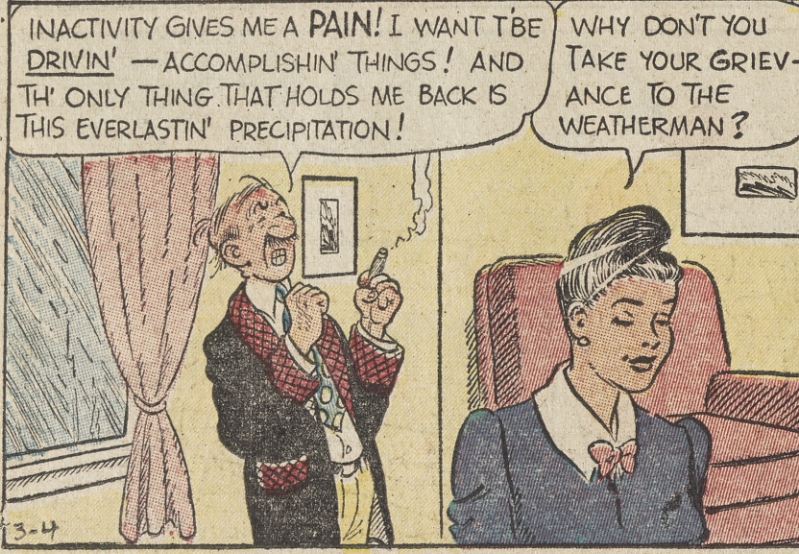
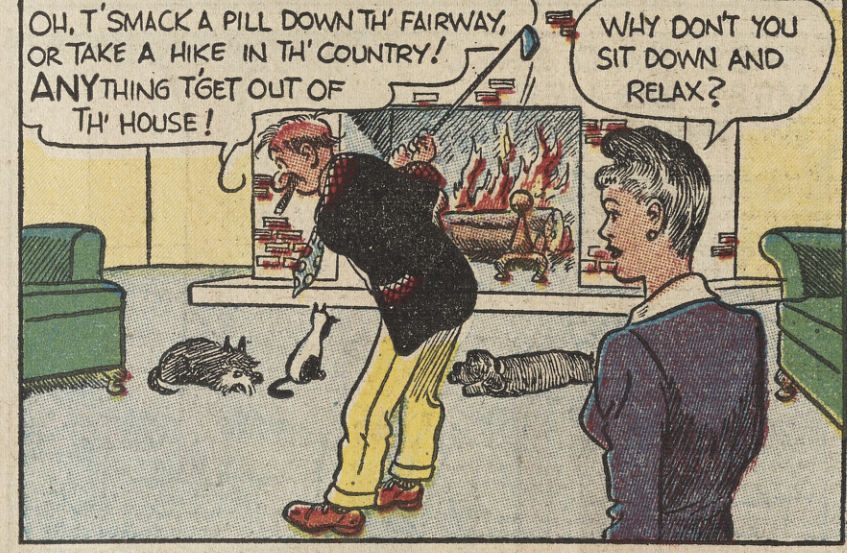
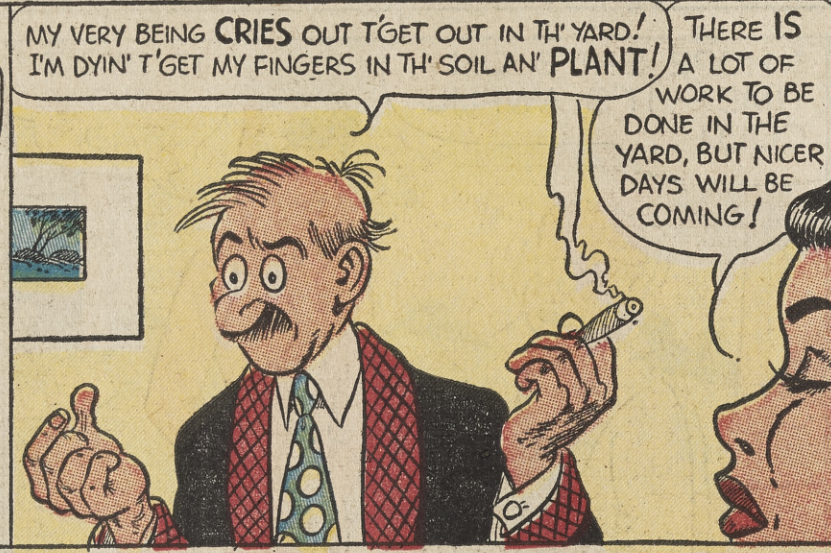
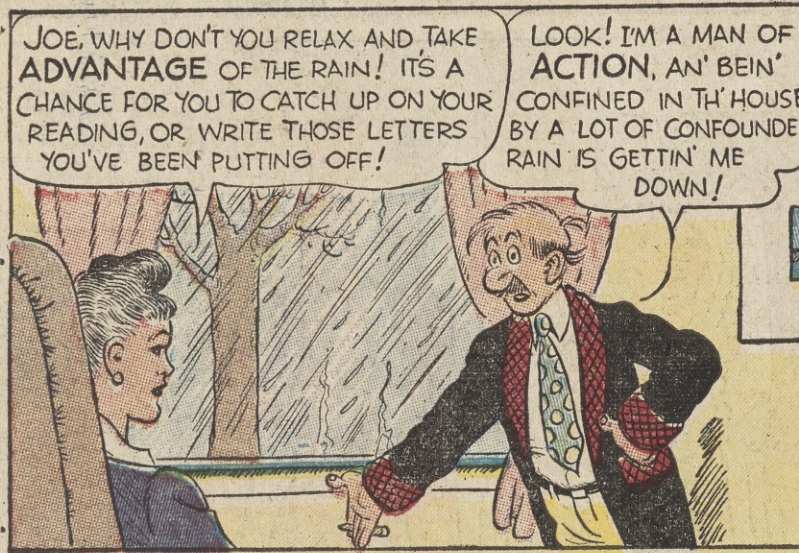
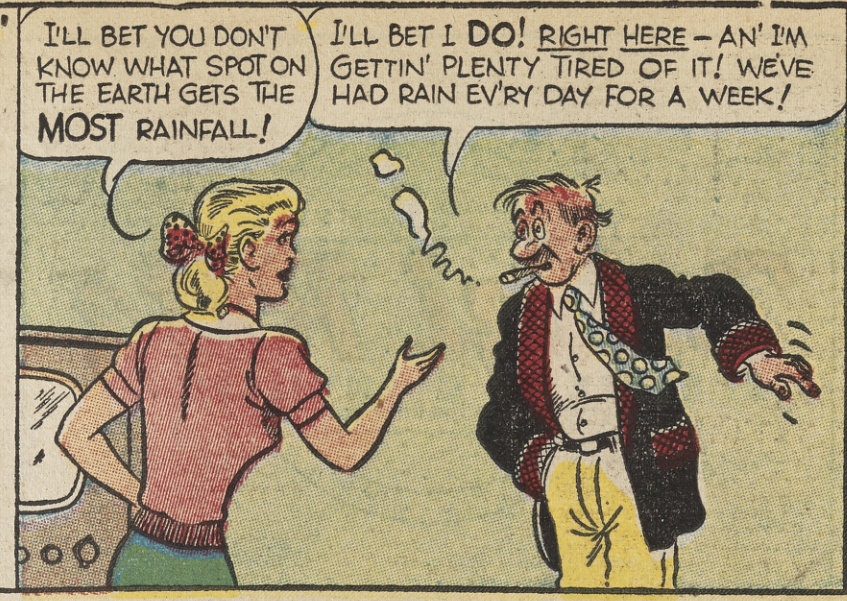
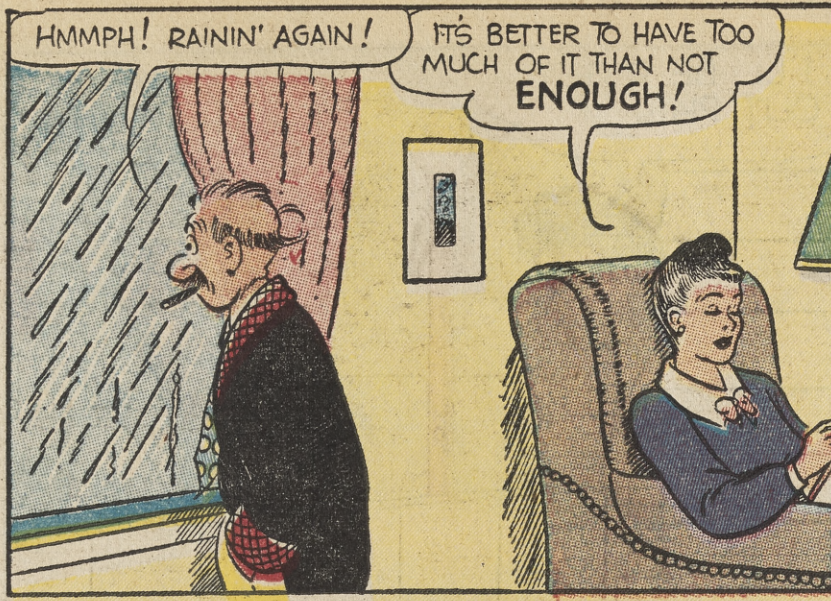
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GRASS



JOE INKAS

By HENRY FORMHALS



STRANGE as it seems

HYMN BOOKS TURNED DEFEAT INTO VICTORY FOR THE AMERICAN FORCES IN THE DEFENSE OF SPRINGFIELD, N.J., FROM THE BRITISH.... SHORT OF WADDING FOR THEIR MUSKETS, THEY SUBSTITUTED PAGES RIPPED FROM HYMNALS SUPPLIED BY THEIR CHAPLAIN, REV. JAMES CALDWELL....

- June 23, 1780 -

DOG MONEY-- GREYHOUNDS WERE ACCEPTABLE AS PAYMENT OF TAXES IN ANCIENT EGYPT!

WHEN FRANCES E. WILLARD-- American educator, WAS PRESIDENT OF THE WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION, SHE HELD AN AVERAGE OF ONE MEETING EVERY DAY FOR 10 YEARS

ELSIE HIX

THE KLAMATH WEED--

WHICH IS RUINOUS TO PASTURE LAND AND POISONOUS TO CATTLE, IS BEING BROUGHT UNDER CONTROL BY 2 SPECIES OF LEAF-FEEDING BEETLES IMPORTED TO NORTHERN CALIFORNIA FROM AUSTRALIA BY THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRIC. THE BEETLES WILL EVENTUALLY EAT THEMSELVES OUT OF A FOOD SUPPLY SINCE THEY WILL NOT EXIST ON ANY OTHER FOOD...

THE U.S.S. MICHIGAN -- FIRST OF THE NAVY'S IRONCLADS, WAS BUILT 18 YEARS BEFORE THE MONITOR OR THE MERRIMAC!

THE HOWLER MONKEY

CAN SUPPORT ITSELF BY ITS TAIL EVEN AFTER IT IS DEAD!

A LILY THAT GROWS 30 FEET HIGH!

THE DRUMSTICK GRASS-TREE OF AUSTRALIA!

THE BUTTERFLY ORCHID

OFTEN FAILS TO SET SEEDS BECAUSE POLLINATING INSECTS SHUN IT DUE TO ITS RESEMBLANCE TO A BUTTERFLY!

Sanitary Reorganizing Police

Morris Qui McGlade As

Reorganization Sanitary District improving the lowest possible precision to press reports in order and taxpayers advised of progress meeting of the last Thursday. The resigning Morris as secretary and the appointing McGlade as announced. McGlade complete revision system of the district provided.

Directors Joseph Rose went to Monday to discuss approximately Joeger land disposal necessary land improvement was the first plan to make adequate and

Study is a survey by a firm of any decision the various decided, county including Supervisor County Clerk others, will an aim for and possible Revision of make it more the service studied. The current but announcement of a bond is demanded necessary.

Regulation The service employee, to disposal plan repair where contemplated. Other matter at regular scheduled for each month on Main Street. Rose is president and other Nate McCracken and Morris. "It is evident the board adequate minimum of "Members a purpose and of the public. Unnecessary will be eliminated accounting will be made intervals."

MRS. S. OF

The Eagle kee Aerie Sunday at Lennan of ting, deputy Following class of 39 of 60 secure beautiful rites by the iary. There Eagles and following Hazel Rose am president; Betty Park Rau, treasurer Josephine Dorothy G. an; Mary and Marg Dorothy L. Following per was Music was Brown and Forest, R. Moore of Dillon of An invit all present to be held Reno Saturday

Three R M

The me Study Gro day, March 9, Rose announced

Return fr Mrs. daughter turned from City.